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Grave Threat For Fighting Forces Of Gen. MacArthur

Valiant Men Still Resist Heavy Attacks

WASHINGTON, Jan. 24.—(P)—Fighting in the Philippines apparently reached an extremely critical phase today with Japanese warships off the China sea coast of Batan peninsula shelling General Douglas MacArthur's weary and battered fighting men and fresh enemy troops pushing them back at a number of points.

Under cover of the warships the Japanese were landing additional troops on the western coast of Batan in an attempt to roll back the American-Filipino left flank and perhaps also to infiltrate behind the defenders' main line.

Charge of Mistreatment

Despite this obviously perilous situation, MacArthur found time to forward the War Department advice of Japanese atrocities against prisoners, reporting specifically that a Filipino had been found with his hands bound and his body bayoneted.

This, it was noted, was a flagrant violation of international agreements to which Japan is a party concerning treatment of prisoners. The War Department added:

"However foully the enemy may act, the general states that he will abide by decent concepts of humanity and civilization."

Heavy losses on both sides were reported by the War Department in summing up the situation. And, it added that although fatigued from constant fighting, the American and Filipino soldiers continued a stubborn resistance, and, by fierce counterattacks had recaptured some of their lost positions.

But the enemy held to some points won from the defenders, and its numerical superiority was constantly increasing. Reinforcements were landing at Subic bay, close by MacArthur's left flank, where, the army said, the Japanese attacks were heaviest.

All in all, the communique aroused grave apprehension here as to how long MacArthur's men might be able to continue their resistance. The department's announcement contained no note of optimism, other than that "The enthusiasm, courage and devotion" of the men was "undiminished."

Prepare For Worst

But in a war of machines, this is not enough, and the capital was prepared for the worst.

Conjecture grew, meanwhile, as to what the next move of resourceful MacArthur might be. (Please Turn to Page 10, Col. 8)

Girls Sell Tickets To President's Ball

The girls of the Smith-Cotton high school Spiz club aided in the drive for funds for the infantile paralysis Saturday by selling tickets to the President's ball, which will be at Liberty park on Friday night. They were signs reading, "Dance That Others May Walk."

Ernest C. Martin, chairman of the committee in charge of the campaign, reports that employees of the Lamy Overall factory have donated \$63.25 in cash, that he received a check for \$5 from the Sorosis club and another of a similar amount from the Missouri Pacific supervisors.

Bothwell Hospital Notes

Miss Naomi Maddox, 620 South Massachusetts avenue, was operated on Friday evening.

The condition of G. W. Landis, of Hughesville, which was critical Friday, was some improved Saturday.

Patients dismissed from the hospital are: Miss Anna Eken, Lincoln; Mr. and Mrs. U. S. Grant, 212 East Fifth street; C. W. Kelly, Wichita Falls, Texas; Mrs. Roy L. Reed and infant son, 220 South Quincy avenue; Mrs. H. H. Stephens and infant son, 222 East Nineteenth street; Mrs. Roy Lemler, and infant daughter, Hughesville; Mrs. Charles H. Joy and infant daughter, 1820 West Eighteenth street.

Report Negro Prowler On West Fourth

A Negro prowler was reported in the 900 block on West Fourth street about 9:30 o'clock Saturday night. Police answered the call and made an investigation.

Mrs. M. Swope, 918 West Fourth street, reported that during the past week a ton of coal had been stolen. The coal was taken in small amounts. Mrs. Swope also reported seeing the Negro Saturday night.

Board Of B. P. W. Clubs In Sessions Here

Address At Dinner Meeting Given By Miss Hickey

"Never has there been a more glorious opportunity for women of spirit and spunk," Miss Margaret A. Hickey, of St. Louis, first vice-president of the national federation of Business and Professional Women's clubs, told members of the state board of BPWC and members of the Sedalia and visiting clubs, at a dinner meeting at Hotel Bothwell last night.

The occasion was to honor the members of the state board, who are convening in this city for a two days session.

"Now-Job - Win - War." These words, of telegraphic brevity might well be an active message for every business woman in America, she told her hearers. "No lofty phrases are needed; no patriotic talks; business and professional women have already worked around the calendar on defense. For the past twelve months we have been building up the stockpiles of first hand information. We are prepared to give an all out cooperative effort—specific task for minds and hands; still greater assignments for hearts and spirits that all can give unstintingly."

Miss Hickey was presented to the guests by Miss Christine Hauschild, of Columbia, president of the state federation, who had been introduced by Miss Hazel Palmer, of the Sedalia club, who is second vice-president of the state federation.

Miss Grace Young, president of the Sedalia club opened the session, and presented Miss Palmer, who introduced the speaker. Prior to her talk Mrs. R. B. Woods sang two solos.

Value Of Civic Work

In her address, Miss Hickey

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Arthur McQuiddy To The Navy Air Corps

Arthur McQuiddy, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. McQuiddy, of 514 South Kentucky avenue, arrives home today from Columbia, where he is a junior in the University of Missouri, and will leave Tuesday for New Orleans, La., called to the navy air corps to begin training January 29.

McQuiddy, who has been Associated Press correspondent in Columbia the past five months, and prior to that time employed during his summer vacations at the Kansas City Star, has already obtained his pilot's license.

Volunteer Group Popular Heroes

CHUNGKING, Jan. 24.—(P)—Members of the AVG—American volunteer group—of the Chinese air force have become popular heroes since their exploits in meeting Japanese airmen and when they appear on the streets they usually are followed about by an admiring crowd, dispatches from Kunning said today.

The pilots' two hostels are served with American style food. American wines, chewing gum, chocolate and tobacco are sold to them at cost.

Certificates For Tires Are Issued

Tire certificates issued Saturday, by the Rationing board, were to:

Gordon Brothers, 114 East Main one tube, wholesale hauling. John Welch Distributing Company, 500 West Second street, one tire, hauling finished products. Sedalia Bus Co., 500 West Sixteenth street, two tires and two tubes, transportation.

Denny M. Elliott, Green Ridge, one tire, obsolete. Mary Agnes Coffey, Spring Fork, one tire and one tube, obsolete.

J. H. Schneider, R. F. D. 1, one tire, obsolete.

Joe Reusch, Mora, one tire, obsolete.

Defense Plans Are Discussed

Pettis County Council In Meeting On Friday Night

The Pettis County Council of Defense, J. H. Bagby, chairman, met Friday night in the Chamber of Commerce offices, to hear reports on the success of the chairman's activities, and to discuss future plans.

Attending were: Mr. Bagby, Ellsworth Green, secretary and treasurer, Dr. Hardin Gouge, J. U. Morris, Lon E. Leslie, J. E. Smith, Miss Grace Young, Miss Roseanne Dugan, A. L. Gorsett, Lawrence Barnett and L. W. Richardson.

A letter from the Girl Scouts council was read offering the defense council its wholehearted cooperation.

Suggestions were made by the state department that a speaker's committee be appointed, but this will not be done until D. S. Lamm, a member of the state speakers' committee is consulted.

Need Scrap Metals

J. U. Morris, in charge of the disposal of scrap metals, reported that the citizens are realizing that there is a great need for the scrap metals, are cleaning their places of all unused junk, and are disposing of it to local dealers. Mr. Morris' duty is not to collect the scrap by means of his own, but to bring the people to the realization that it is so badly needed, and to have them dispose of it.

This council is the coordinating council for all projects in any way touching the question of defense, and there was some discussion by the council members as to how to forcibly bring this to the attention of the public. The council is following to the letter the instructions of the state council, and will carry out the program as it is arranged by the state and national councils for the protection of all people of Pettis county.

Retail Grocers To Meet On Monday

The regular semi-monthly meeting of the Sedalia Independent Retail Grocers association being held at Hotel Bothwell Monday night, January 26, at 8 o'clock will be an open meeting to which all independent service grocers of the city have been invited. Several business matters of vital importance to service grocers will have to be acted upon and all store owners and managers are urged to be present.

Register Over 1,000 Volunteers

The volunteer registration for wartime civilian defense duty, which has been held the past three days, will continue through Monday, Miss Roseanne Dugan, chairman of the council of defense volunteer registration committee, stated at the close of registration Saturday.

There were a few more than 1,000 registrations, she said, a very small number for a county the size of Pettis and in order to give others an opportunity to add their names to the list, the registrars will be at their desks in the court house all day Monday. Miss Dugan asks that any of the interviewers assigned for Monday, who will be unable to be there, call Mrs. Victor Scott, telephone number 1365, this morning.

The registration was very light Thursday and Friday, but Saturday it picked up and the interviewers were busy all day.

There has been a special desk in the court house lobby where young men could enlist for the Fourth Missouri Infantry Company 4, and seven enlisted during the three days.

Rationing On Sugar Ahead

Likely Limit Each Person To About Pound A Week

WASHINGTON, Jan. 24.—(P)—Government rationing of sugar, it was announced tonight, will begin early next month with each person limited to about a pound a week.

Announcing the program, Price Administrator Leon Henderson said it was proposed, too, to recover excess stocks from persons who have hoarded supplies.

The prospect allowance of one pound per person a week compares with average per capita home consumption of about 1 1/2 pounds a week in 1941.

Henderson said there was an actual shortage of about one-third in the sugar supply, and that this, rather than hoarding, necessitated this first food stuff rationing of this war.

Rationing books have been designed and printing of them will be started in a day or two, he said.

Then, in a direct word of warning to hoarders, Henderson asserted:

"Those who have stocks on hand are advised to start using them now."

"Consumers who are in possession of abnormally large stocks of sugar are warned that they will not be permitted to gain an advantage from their supposed foresight."

He did not amplify on this statement, but OPA officials stressed it as one of the most important in the rationing announcement. Action against hoarders will be an important part of the rationing program, they said.

Restrict Purchases

"The most important reason for rationing sugar," Henderson declared, "is to insure that all the customers are treated equitably. x x x There will be enough sugar for each person next year to supply all basic dietary needs. (Please turn to page 10 column 3)

Uruguay And Peru In Break With The Axis

Others Expected To Follow Due To Conference

By ALBURY WEST

RIO DE JANEIRO, Jan. 24.—(P)—Uruguay and Peru severed diplomatic relations tonight with Germany, Italy and Japan, putting into swift and dramatic effect terms of a compromise anti-axis agreement reached by all the western hemisphere republics at the Pan-American conference here.

The action of the Montevideo and Lima governments was announced a few minutes before Sumner Welles, U. S. under secretary of state, told the conference that "we have already met with the utmost measures of success in attaining the objectives we sought."

The two Latin-American countries thus gave pointed emphasis to Welles' further declaration in an address to the conference that "we can truly say this has been a meeting of deeds, not merely words."

Others Likely Follow

Brazil, Bolivia, Ecuador and Paraguay are expected to follow the lead of Uruguay and Peru and observers here were predicting that by the end of next week Argentina and Chile would be the only western hemisphere countries maintaining diplomatic ties with the axis powers.

Uruguay's decision to break with the axis was announced by Foreign Minister Alberto Guani upon receipt of word from President Alfredo Baldomir at Montevideo. Peru's action followed within a few minutes.

"The Uruguayan government for a long time has felt that it ought to break relations with the axis," he said. "We awaited this conference to take final action."

Argentina, whose insistence resulted in the weakened compromise solution for a diplomatic rupture with the axis further emphasized her individualistic stand today by announcing she would flatly refuse to accord non-belligerent status to any of the united nations except the United States.

The Buenos Aires government on Dec. 13 recognized the United States as a non-belligerent, thus opening her ports to unlimited stays by U. S. warships.

How Line-Up Stands

The western hemisphere anti-axis line-up stood tonight: At war: United States, Canada, Costa Rica, Cuba, Dominican republic, Guatemala, Haiti, Honduras, Nicaragua, Panama, Salvador.

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Tire Discussion By Dairymen

A large number of dairymen met in the city hall Friday night, called by two of their number, Earl Wingate and J. A. DeJarnett, to discuss the problems that will confront the milk men when the tires now on their trucks are worn out.

Unless the rules and regulations now in effect are changed, when the tires now on their trucks are worn out, they will have to stop delivery to the homes, or deliver with a horse drawn vehicle. The milk may be delivered to the grocery store, or a central station and it is believed they are eligible to obtain tires, provided the quota is not exhausted, for that purpose, although that question is still to be determined.

Judge J. E. Smith, a member of the rationing board, addressed the dairymen, giving them a thorough and understandable talk on the tire situation and answering many questions which the men asked.

Red Cross Furthers Plans On Nurse's Aid Corps

With the national emergency demanding that nurse's aid corps be organized, the Pettis county chapter of the American Red Cross is continuing plans for a local corps. The chairman in Mrs. Abe Rosenthal, who will name her committee members soon.

A nurse's consultant, Miss McDormett of the southwest division headquarters in St. Louis, has spent the last several days here helping in the initial plans for the formation of a corps. At least 15 women volunteers are needed to organize a class for nurse's aid training.

Special Training
Special courses for the training of assistants to hospitals and emergency stations will be given to qualify volunteers. Women with an aptitude for nursing who are between the ages of 18 and 50 and have the equivalent of a high

Command At Pearl Harbor Before An Attack "Derelict"

Girls May Get Girdles After All.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 24.—(P)—Cherrio, girls, you'll be able to get girdles after all.

The war production board announced today that it would act within a few days to make a "limited amount" of crude rubber available for the manufacture of girdles, corsets and other foundation garments.

Willard Helburn, chief of the WPB rubber branch, said the amount to be distributed had not yet been determined, but that manufacturers of foundation garments had assured WPB that substantial savings in rubber could be made by design changes and substitution of other materials.

Earlier, it had been announced that no rubber would be allotted for manufacture of girdles.

Ships-Planes Of Japanese Are Destroyed

U. S. And British Fliers Bagged 32 Aircraft Of Foe

WASHINGTON, Jan. 24.—(P)—A group of United States destroyers made a stealthy nocturnal pounce upon a fleet of Japanese transports and their unwary escorts in the East Indies, the Navy department disclosed today, sinking two and maybe three enemy ships and heavily damaging others.

Encountering the enemy convoy in the Macassar straits, the lean grey destroyers of Admiral Thomas C. Hart's Asiatic fleet blazed away with torpedoes and guns to such devastating effect that they lost not a ship or a man of their own. The only casualties were four men wounded and only one of them seriously.

Of the two Japanese ships known to have been destroyed, one was blown up and the other sunk. A third was so badly battered that it was listing heavily when the smoke of battle cleared away.

The communique which announced this action also reported that hostile submarines still were operating off the Atlantic coast of the United States as far south as Savannah, Ga. It added grimly that counter measures "are continuing with favorable results," but in line with Navy policy, the details of the "favorable results" were withheld.

Annihilate Air Squadron

By DANIEL DE LUCE

RANGOON, Burma, Jan. 24.—(P)—The skillful American and British pilots who defend the modern roads to Mandalay won another spectacular air combat over the Rangoon area today, annihilating an entire bomber squadron and totaling up a 2-day bag of 32 Japanese planes.

Military secrecy, meanwhile, covered the land action in southern Burma's watch-fob appendix, where the British were shortening their land lines east of Moulmein, Kipling-Esque port which lies across the broad Gulf of Martaban from Rangoon.

Thousands of delighted Burmese saw the wild, mid-day dog-fight in the sky in which every one of a seven-plane Japanese flight of heavy, two-motored

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Inquiry Body Makes Report On Its Findings

WASHINGTON, Jan. 24.—(P)—A presidential board of enquiry today attributed the success of the Japanese attack on Pearl Harbor primarily to "dereliction of duty" on the part of Lieutenant General Walter C. Short and Admiral Husband E. Kimmel, the commanding officers of the army and navy in that area.

They had been adequately informed from Washington that war was imminent, it found. They had been warned to prepare against an air raid. They failed to confer upon the warnings and the measures to be taken under them. They refused to believe an air attack possible. Consequently the Japanese raid was a "complete surprise."

One result of their lack of collaboration, the board said, was that Short believed the navy was operating reconnaissance flights far off shore, when it was not, and that Kimmel thought the army was operating devices which would detect the approach of planes, when these were actually in service only a few hours each day.

But, while the board pinned major responsibility upon the two officers, it found numerous other contributing factors:

Effective Japanese espionage—which could not be adequately countered under peace time conditions. Japan's disregard of international law in making the attack before declaring war.

Emphasis on warnings sent from Washington on sabotage and the possibility of a Japanese attack in the western Pacific rather than at Pearl Harbor.

However, the blame was placed squarely upon Short and Kimmel, who in the opinion of the board "failed to make suitable dispositions to meet such an attack" and "failed properly to evaluate the seriousness of the situation."

It added: "These errors of judgment were the effective causes for the success of the attack."

The commission, headed by Associate Justice Owen J. Roberts of the Supreme Court, declared that these two, who were replaced shortly after the attack, were derelict in failing to consult and confer with one another about warnings and "the appropriate

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Appeal For Planes And Ships

MELBOURNE, Australia, Jan. 24.—(P)—Australia, who sent her sons to fight in Malaya, Libya and England sent a second urgent appeal to London and Washington today for planes and ships and began mobilizing all able-bodied men for the possibility of the battle of Australia being fought right on our beaches.

Australia's feverish preparations were begun as War Minister Francis M. Forde announced that Japanese forces had landed at Rabaul, in New Britain, at Kieta, on Bougainville in the Solomon islands, and had gained several footholds in New Guinea.

This string of islands is 300 to 900 miles northeast of Australia. Forde said home-defense units were being mustered immediately throughout Australia and that the drafting of married men under the age of 35 and unmarried men under 45 was being accelerated.

"Immediate action must be taken to place every unit on a war footing at this time when the safety of the nation is paramount," he declared.

Even aliens and refugees will be required to volunteer within two weeks or be drafted under forthcoming regulations, it was said.

("Should Japanese aggression come to this country, Australia will duplicate the British policy of 'every village a strong point, every town a fortress, and every man, woman and child a soldier,'" Prime Minister John Curtin declared in a broadcast heard by CBS in New York.)

The Weather

Continued mild

Sunday.

Sunrise and Sunset

Sunrise 7:30 a.

m. Sunset 5:31

p. m.

Phase of the Moon

First quarter

January 24.

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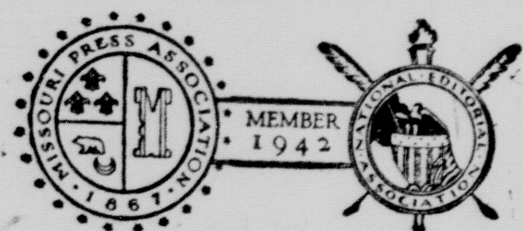
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Cross Roads Comment

by G.H.S.

Our Children Want To Dance—

We like to think that there is enough diversification of recreational facilities in the home, the schools, the churches and the community at large to work off the surplus energy of our 'teen age youngsters.

I had occasion to explore this subject because Mrs. Dan Carr asked me to make a talk on "Recreational Facilities For the Family," before the Horace Mann P. T. A. Friday night. I made the talk but as usual didn't say a lot of things I had in mind to say.

So many persons think because I am partly responsible for rearing a large family (I don't know why they call it large when an ordinary family should consist of 10 or 12) that because of this I am an expert on family matters. No one ever became expert at this work, trying to handle children.

But going back to the recreational problem. It is difficult enough to solve it in the home although it's easiest there. What I had been thinking about, and discovered many other people are doing the same, is the environment outside the home.

One 'teen age youngster was asked if there was a recreational problem in Sedalia. Quick as a flash this 1942 model offspring of 20th century parenthood replied: "Sure, there's a recreational problem in Sedalia. Girls and boys want a place to dance where adults aren't allowed to come in and get drunk while we're having fun."

Who's to blame?

An Explosive Round Table Topic—

If you want to stir up some animated discussion just drop this problem in the lap of any male and female adult group, preferably not a mixed group. I did just that with seven business men, some of whom had one or two children, some more, some none at all. They were all engaging in war talk, but the recreational problem set them off like an exploding giant firecracker.

One fellow tore into modern parents because of laxity in disciplining their children; allowing seventh and eighth grade girls to have dates and go to dances. Another parent held up his hands in resignation by saying the problem was too much for him. Still another defended the children and their right to have legitimate, supervised fun. What are the churches doing about it? What are the school authorities and teachers doing about it?

I began to think nothing would come of such a discussion. But someone did bring up the fact that what Sedalia needed was a community center where children could have supervised play, including dancing.

Dancing seems to be a real problem. One man thought dancing should be allowed in the schools, but that there might be objections to this from religious groups, or taxpayers who had to pay for the lights and wear and tear on school property. Others said it would promote an already growing abdication of parental responsibility by passing it on to the teachers. Another said 1942 mothers are too interested in cocktail and card parties. A story was told of a young mother and father who left their tiny, crying baby in their automobile while they went into a tavern to dance and take on enough drinks to make them dizzy.

There could be some mighty frank discussion of this problem by parents and children, too, if they'd sit down and write me. Surely we could arrive at something constructive without becoming the type of reformers defined as "guys who ride through a sewer in a glass-bottomed boat."

Are You Paying The Sales Tax—

Seldom are taxes a pleasant subject to discuss but their permanency makes it necessary upon occasion. Had an interesting visit with H. C. Crist, of the Missouri Sales Tax Department, the past week, and two other representatives of the same department. I suppose they were appointed by State Auditor Forrest Smith, who seems to have native ability in picking good workers. I have met several other fellows out of his department who are efficient and a credit to him.

Mr. Crist outlined some of the problems concerning the state sales tax which are worth recording and may be of value to merchants and taxpayers alike.

Home merchants have been and are now being subjected to unfair discrimination by the neglect or refusal of some of our citizens to pay sales tax.

The merchant did not write the tax law but he is guilty of a misdemeanor if he fails

to collect, and the purchaser is equally guilty if he fails to pay the tax.

Modern highways have placed the metropolitan dealers in direct competition with our local merchants. People who patronize these big dealers never think of making a purchase without paying the tax. However, the same people, when buying from our own merchants who are often friends and neighbors, will neglect and sometimes refuse to pay sales tax. The result is that the home merchant, who spends his money where he gets it, is forced to pay most of the sales tax out of his own pocket.

The purchaser can pay the 2% required by law with very little sacrifice, but when the merchant is forced to pay 2% of his gross receipts out of his net earnings, then the tax becomes a heavy and unjust burden. The dealer in small articles suffers most. The man who sells cold drinks and cigarettes is rarely ever offered a mill and usually offends his customer when he asks for one. Yet, he is least able to pay the tax himself. Merchants are not altogether blameless. The timid will not ask for mills, others simply add extra pennies to the selling price and the buyer unwittingly pays double or more the amount of the tax due.

The assumption that beer, liquors and cigarettes are not subject to sales tax because of other taxes on those articles, is an error. There is also a common belief that the sales tax was voted solely for old age pensions. Unless the State Constitution is changed by a vote of the people, no money can be appropriated for relief and pensions until all other state expenses have been paid.

In 1940 Pettis county paid in sales tax \$122,280.35 and received in public benefits from the same source \$291,443.41. This money went for schools, care of insane, relief, old age pensions, and aid to dependent children. It was a good investment but why make the merchant pay for it?

A Worthy Cause To Support—

In the face of innumerable demands upon our citizens for contributions to this and that, Ernest Martin, county recorder, accepted chairmanship of the annual "March of Dimes" collection for the National Infantile Paralysis Foundation and the Pettis County Crippled Children's Society. All of this relates to President Roosevelt's 60th birthday anniversary which will be topped off locally by a Friday night dance. Mr. Martin and his aides have been all over Pettis county doing a splendid job. The cause for which they are working has long ago been recognized as distinctly worthy. Pettis countians can endorse this by their generous contributions.

Patriotism Comes First—

Mention was made Friday if the people of this community wouldn't arouse themselves to the importance of civilian defense by registration, the government might be disinclined to locate any defense industries here. This projects another line of reasoning.

If the government would first locate a defense industry in or near Sedalia then the citizens would be aroused from their lethargy and instilled with patriotic jubilation.

Which brings to mind the perplexing question: Which comes first, the chicken or the egg?

A Musical P. T. A. Blackout—

'Tis said that coincidence may be defined as: "a cow sitting on a cactus plant singing like a canary."

Something like a coincidence occurred at the Horace Mann P. T. A. meeting Friday night. Long ago a program of the boys' and girls' Choir had been arranged, and the proper musical selections chosen and mimeographed on the program. "Lullaby Moon," by the Girls' Choir was timely when the school electric lights suddenly went out. This created a stir among the adults who scurried about for candles as the Boys' Choir sang "The Czech Dance Song." While the men prepared to fix the fuses, the boys sang, "Show Me My Task." As the darkness in the school continued to prevail, the boys and girls sang, "Three Blind Mice." Then just as the youngsters launched into the singing of "America," on came the lights with appropriate brilliance.

Now if that wasn't a coincidence I've never heard of one.

Rumor Raises An Ugly Head—

Latin students may recall what the epic poet Vergil wrote in Book IV, Aeneid: "Rumor, of all evils, the most swift. Speed lends her strength, and she gains vigor as she goes; small at first through fear, soon she mounts to heaven, and walks the ground with head hidden in the clouds."

Today Americans must constantly keep in mind rumor's viciousness, like the one requiring a definite denial by the secretary of the treasury. A story had gotten around that the government was planning to confiscate savings accounts. It was all bosh, but swept across the country like wild fire. The government has no such proposal involving confiscation of savings deposits.

Looking Backward

• forty years ago.

The Seventh District Democratic congressional committee met at the Elks' hotel at 10 o'clock Saturday morning to fix the time and place for holding the nominating convention. John W. Baldwin represented Pettis county at the meeting, and on his motion, Sedalia was selected as the place of holding the convention and the basis of representation was fixed at one delegate for every 300 votes cast for Bryan in 1900, and one delegate for each fraction of 150 votes cast at such election.

W. T. Hutchinson, who owns the three-story building at the southwest corner of Second and Ohio streets, is remodeling the structure at a cost of about 2,000. Al Hutchinson is doing the work, which will be finished about March 1. The third floor will be converted into a lodge room, new stairways will be put in, and also a new front to the Dow Drug company's store,

Just Town Talk

A POPULAR	FOR A Catalogue
AND PRETTY	OR SOME Information
YOUNG SEDALIA	RELATIVE
GIRL	TO STUDIES
WHO IS Finishing	AND ALL
HIGH SCHOOL	SHE RECEIVED
THIS YEAR	A LETTER
HAS BEEN	IMMEDIATELY
LOOKING AHEAD	IN REPLY
FOR A College	TELLING HER
SHE WOULD	THEY WERE Sorry
LIKE TO Attend	BUT THEY Wouldn't
SHE HAS Written	CONSIDER
TO NUMEROUS	HAVING HER
COLLEGES	AS A Pupil—
IN BOTH East	IT IS A School
AND WEST	FOR BOYS Only—
AS WELL As Some	AND SHE Is
IN THE South	STILL FEELING
SHE HEARD Of	SILLY
ONE IN Texas	THAT SHE Wrote
THAT APPEALED	THAT COLLEGE.
TO HER	I THANK YOU.
SO SHE Wrote	

Church Services Today

BAPTIST—
Calvary — Morning service 9:30 a. m.; Evening 7:30 p. m.
East Sedalia — 10:30 a. m., 7:30 p. m. Sunday school 9:30 a. m.
First — Sunday school 9:30 a. m.; Preaching 10:40 a. m., and 7:30 p. m.

CHRISTIAN—
First — Sunday school 9:30 a. m. Services 10:45 a. m.
East Broadway — 10:45 a. m. Sunday school 9:30. Christian Endeavor 6:30 p. m.

EPISCOPAL—
Calvary—Morning services 7:30 and 11 a. m.
Church school 9:30 a. m.

IMMANUEL EVANGELICAL AND REFORMED—
Church school at 9:30.
Morning worship at 10:45.

CONGREGATIONAL-PRESBYTERIAN—
Sunday school 9:30 a. m.
Church services 10:45 a. m.

CATHOLIC CHURCHES—
Sacred Heart—Masses 6, 8:00, 9:15, 10:30 a. m.
St. Patrick's—Masses 6:30, 8:00 and 10 a. m.

PENTECOSTAL—
Sunday school 9:45 a. m., morning service 11 a. m., evening service 7:30 p. m.

LUTHERAN—
Trinity English — (U.L.C.) 10:45 a. m., first, third, fifth Sundays; 9 a. m. second and fourth Sundays.
St. Paul's — Services 10:45 a. m. Sunday school 9:30 a. m.

PRESBYTERIAN—
Broadway — Sunday school 9:30 a. m. Morning worship 10:45 a. m. Junior Christian Endeavor 3:45 p. m. Young People's Christian Endeavor 5:30 p. m.
Cumberland — 7:30 p. m. Sunday school 10 a. m.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE—
First Church — 11 a. m. Sunday school 9:30.

METHODIST—
First — 10:30 a. m., Sunday school 9:30, Evening services 7:30 p. m.
Fifth Street — 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school 9:30.
Epworth — 10:30 a. m.; 7:30 p. m. Sunday school 9:30.
Taylor Chapel (Negro) — 11 a. m., and 7 p. m. Sunday school 9:30 a. m.

INTERNATIONAL BIBLE SCHOOL—
Services at 7:30 p. m.

LATTER DAY SAINTS—
Reorganized — 11 a. m., 7:30 p. m. Sunday school 9:45.

Flat Creek Club Meets At School

The Flat Creek Community club held its first meeting of the year on January 16, at Anderson school. The meeting was called to order by Vice President Isaac Snow and opened by the audience singing America. The community voted and agreed that the community funds be spent for defense bonds. Then the meeting was turned over to the Civic committee: R. L. Wadleigh who introduced the Rothenberger Brothers quartet of Green Ridge, Mo. Attorney Frank Armstrong gave a talk on defense, followed by a short talk from Dorothy Bacon, home demonstration agent.

Brick Homemakers Hold Election

The Brick Homemakers club met Tuesday, January 20, at the club house with thirteen members present and one visitor. The meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. Vincil Fry, and she presented her resignation as president, that was accepted and three new officers were elected, Mrs. Jess Parsons, president; Mrs. Roy Armstrong, vice president; Mrs. William Tavener, reported. A very interesting program followed. Our next meeting will be February 17.

Democrat-Capital Class Ads go results, 10 words, 1 week, 80c.

Side Glances



"Why have a wedding if you don't cry? I've attended the weddings of all three of her daughters and never saw her shed a tear!"

Smoke Signals



The Washington Merry-go-Round

• by Drew Pearson and Robert S. Allen

WASHINGTON—Representative Adolph Sabath, chairman of the House Rules committee, got an earful of cheering news about plans for succoring war-hit little business during his talk with the President. The President told the Illinoisan that two measures are in the works:

(1) "Spreading out" of war production by mandatory sub-contracts to the thousands of small firms being forced to the wall because of material shortages and curtailment of civilian goods production.

(2) RFC "distress" loans to enable such firms to finance additional facilities needed for war work.

The President told Sabath that going to the rescue of little business will be one of the first jobs tackled by Donald Nelson in his new capacity as war production czar. Nelson is ideally equipped for this job, the President said, because of his sympathetic attitude toward the problems of little business men growing out of the war emergency.

"The little fellow has a real friend in Don Nelson," Roosevelt declared. "That was one of the reasons I appointed him."

The President also disclosed that big primary contractors will be compelled to farm out a larger proportion of Army and Navy orders under a plan being perfected by Nelson. He and Nelson already have had one conference on the small business problem and others are slated in the near future.

The President added that he had sent word to Federal Loan Boss Jesse Jones that immediate steps be taken to "expedite aid" through RFC loans to small consumer-industry plants now facing closedowns, but which are capable of conversion to war manufacturing. So far, however, Jones has not reported back on the matter.

"I'm certainly glad to hear this, Mr. President," said Sabath. "The big fellow can get all the money he wants from Jesse Jones, but the little man has to go through so much red tape and delays that, before his loan is okayed, he has lost the contract or is forced to close down his plant."

First Shot
The first shot of the war has been fired by one of the soldiers guarding Washington.

It happened the other night in the cold, still darkness of 4 a. m. No one was hurt, but the milkman who provoked the shot is still quaking in his boots.

The milkman drove up in his truck loaded with dairy products for the Capitol restaurants. Dismounting, he darted towards a freight elevator on the Senate side, planning to press a button signaling a workman inside to raise the elevator.

The milkman didn't see a soldier on sentry duty nearby, nor hear him when he shouted, "Halt!" The milkman continued his dash toward the elevator, but a moment later a rifle shot froze him in his tracks.

"I didn't see you," gulped the milkman as the soldier approached with fixed bayonet.

"Mister, I shot in the air that time as a warning," said the soldier, "but I would have had to fire the next shot at you if you hadn't stopped. The army is guarding the Capitol at night, and when we say halt, we mean halt. We're not fooling."

NOTE: One person who never has any trouble with the soldiers guarding the Senate Office Building is Mrs. Eloise Crocker, a widow living in the Methodist Building across the way, who brings the men a basket of sandwiches, hot coffee and cakes promptly at 10 p. m. every night. Mrs. Crocker's chief assistant is Mrs. Clarence F. Lea, wife of the California Congressman.

Judge Maker

Two years ago, ruddy, white-thatched John

J. Dempsey, then a congressman from New Mexico, made a strenuous, but unsuccessful, effort to unseat Senator Dennis Chavez.

Today, Dempsey holds the high office of Undersecretary of the Interior, but his torch is still flaming as brightly as ever for a senatorial toga. In fact, so burning is his ambition that he tried to win by the gravy-train route what he couldn't win at the ballot box.

Dempsey's ingenious maneuvers in this undercover endeavor are a story for the book. Politicos are relating it in awe and admiration.

Several months ago Dempsey got a promise from ailing Governor John Miles of New Mexico, that if Senator Carl Hatch, the State's senior senator, was elevated to the federal bench, Dempsey would be appointed to Hatch's seat. With this card up his sleeve, Dempsey then set out on the ambitious undertaking to make Hatch a judge.

The author of the famed "clean politics" law is a conscientious and able senator. But his health isn't the best and when Dempsey intimated that a judgeship might be had, Hatch indicated he might be interested.

With this second hurdle cleared, Dempsey launched on a hot search for a judicial vacancy. He soon hit on the trail of a vacancy on the Federal Customs Court in New York. Dempsey originally came from New York, but the politics there proved a lot tougher than those of New Mexico.

The New Yorkers made it emphatically clear that they had no intention of relinquishing this prize plum to an outsider. The job was local patronage and they intended to hold onto it.

Dempsey Tried Again

The setback was a blow to Dempsey, but he didn't despair. He tried another tack.

He conceived the bold plan of creating a new federal judgeship in New Mexico to which Hatch would be appointed.

However, this required the passage of a law and that proved an insurmountable obstacle. The boys on the Hill turned thumbs down on the scheme as too obvious. Also, Hatch would have none of it. He flatly announced that he was not seeking a judgeship.

This ended for the time Dempsey's interesting undercover endeavors to make himself a U. S. Senator. Intrigued politicians are wondering what his next move will be. They are sure that Dempsey, bubbling over with ambition, won't be daunted by his setbacks.

NOTE: In that connection much curiosity has been aroused in political circles by a sizzling attack made the other day on Secretary Harold Ickes, Dempsey's superior, by a radio commentator who is an intimate friend of Dempsey. In congressional lobbies the question is being asked whether Dempsey has changed his goal and is now aiming for the cabinet.

Merry-Go-Round

Postmaster General Frank Walker is one of the most courteous and conscientious officials in Washington. But if he doesn't know it, his mail delivery service could stand a lot of improvement. In recent weeks mail delivery has become so bad that it's common for a letter to take two days to go from Washington to New York. . . . The American Public Power Association, an organization of public power advocates, has opened offices in the Capital to keep public power forces informed of developments in their field. . . . Here is an excellent suggestion from John Staley, chief machinist mate of Washington Navy Yard. "Instead of referring to Japan as the Rising Sun empire, call it the Sinking Sun empire."

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We have determined never to do anything that would hurt business if our main object could be met without so doing.—Leon Henderson, price czar, to auto dealers.

Unionism is harmed if its members are hushed by threats of intimidation or fear, if fair and reasonable criticism is suppressed.—Justice W. T. Collins, New York.

Parents Of A Son

Mr. and Mrs. George Gibbs, 912 West Tenth street, are parents of a son, born Friday night, at the Bothwell hospital.

Star's 25¢ Lunch

SUNDAY'S MENU
Vegetable Plate 25c
Roast Beef Sirloin 25c
Golden Fried Chicken 30c
Potatoes, Vegetable or Salad
Tomato Juice
Hot Bread - Butter
SUNDAY SPECIAL
Grilled T-Bone Steak
French Fried Potatoes
Head Lettuce Salad
Hot Bread - Butter
35c
Ho-Made Cherry Pie
Rich Vanilla Ice Cream
10c
Star Drug Co. 404 So. Ohio

Needle Workers
Of Byberry Meet

Byberry Needle Workers met at the home of Mrs. George Oswald, nine members and three guests attending. They spent the time quilting for the hostess, enjoying a covered dish lunch at noon. They decided to give \$1.00 to the Red Cross and also to do some Red Cross sewing. The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Clara Faulwell, February 11.

John Metcalf To Navy
Intelligence Department

John Metcalf, son of Mr. and Mrs. Percy J. Metcalf, 818 West Fifth street, who left Sedalia on January 11, to report at a naval station, has been assigned to active duty, in Washington, D. C., as Yeoman, third class, intelligence department.

Miss Ketterlin
Is The Bride Of
W. Schmidt

Miss Sara Louise
Snorgrass To Wed
Vernon E. Lehman

Mrs. A. R. Snorgrass

Mrs. Pauline Ketterlin was the hostess at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Ed Klass in Tipton to a group of young friends of her daughter, Miss Lucille Ketterlin, in a pretty pre-nuptial party on Tuesday evening. A pleasant informal time was spent and the special feature being the opening of gifts showered on the bride to be. A lunch was enjoyed.

A wedding of attractive arrangements was celebrated Saturday, January 24, when Rev. H. J. Streit, of the Catholic church, read the nuptial mass for Miss Lucille Ketterlin, daughter of Mrs. Pauline Ketterlin and Mr. Walker Schmidt, son of Otto Schmidt. The bride wore a white satin gown with finger tip veil and carried a white prayer book with streamers. Attending her was Miss Genevieve Kline, cousin of the groom, who wore blue taffeta and carried an arm bouquet. Mr. Schmidt had as groomsmen the bride's brother, William Ketterlin. After the ceremony forty-five guests were seated for an elegant wedding breakfast at the home of the bride's mother. Both the young people are members of prominent families. Mr. Schmidt is with the REA in construction work.

Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Stark of Jefferson City, spent Wednesday and Thursday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Snorgrass.

Mrs. J. C. Collins returned on Tuesday from visiting her husband in Research hospital, Kansas City, who is recovering from a recent operation there.

Mrs. E. H. Wood received her afternoon bridge club Tuesday. Mrs. Charles Longan and Mrs. J. C. Hardy received favors. There were a number of guests and at the close of play a lunch was served.

Mrs. Lonnie Bell and small granddaughter, who have been guests of the former's son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. James Kline, in Kansas City, arrived at home Thursday.

Mrs. E. H. Wood entertained her mother, Mrs. Lena Orly, of Pilot Grove, and her sister, Mrs. Stella McDonald of Higginsville, Thursday going home with her sister for a short visit.

Mrs. James F. Snorgrass has announced the engagement of her daughter, Miss Sara Louise Snorgrass to Vernon E. Lehman, son of Mr. and Mrs. David Lehman of California. Miss Snorgrass is a Junior in the arts and sciences course at the University of Missouri. Mr. Lehman, who also attended the university, is now employed at Fort Leonard Wood. No date for the marriage has been announced.

The Friendly Service club of the Missouri Utility Company, enjoyed a social and business meeting at Foster's Cafe Wednesday evening. A chicken dinner was served. The club has disbanded for the duration of the war.

John Deuber attended the hardware dealers' convention in Kansas City from Sunday until Wednesday.

Rev. H. J. Breit of the Catholic church is at the Boonville hospital receiving treatment for a cold. A supply for his charge comes from Atchison, Kas.

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Crawford had as last week end guests their daughter, Mrs. Mae Meaningrode of St. Louis.

A registration of 369 for volunteer defense work was made here at the city hall, a number of high school students assisting in the work.

Mrs. John Homfeldt, who was taken to a Jefferson City hospital Tuesday evening was operated on Wednesday and is reported as improving.

Supt. J. L. Donohue left Friday for a business visit in St. Louis.

Refugee Children

According to estimates, there are 8,000 to 12,000 British refugee children in Canada and other countries of the British Empire parts of the British Empire, and 3500 in the United States.

Artificial Fogs

German farmers try to stave off frosts with artificial fogs. They use barrels with unslaked lime into which drips dissolved sulphur trioxide. The reaction produces a protecting cloud of vapor.

A butte is an isolated steep hill.

Tasteless, mechanical relief from CONSTIPATION

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Full Pint 39c

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Red Cross First Aid Demonstration



Left to right: D. C. Blankenship, Miss Dorothy Cantor, Mrs. Paul Lange and Miss Mary Barber. This is a demonstration given Friday night, in the Red Cross first aid class, taught by Miss Della Jones. It was held in the basement of the public library.

Shops And
Rails

Missouri Pacific pay day will be Tuesday, January 27, according to a bulletin posted.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Gantert and son are spending the weekend visiting relatives in St. Louis. Mr. Gantert is a machinist.

F. L. Hanigan, clerk in the storekeeper's office, is spending the weekend visiting relatives in Coffeyville, Kas. He will be joined there by Mrs. Hanigan and children, Marvin and Dolores, who have been spending a few days visiting in Tulsa, Okla., and they all will return home Sunday night.

Mrs. Alice Pratt, mother-in-law of Chris Rau, gang foreman, is spending the weekend visiting relatives in Kansas City.

John A. Butler and Roy C. Wissman started upon their apprenticeship as machinist and sheetmetal worker, respectively, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Schlib and daughter, Mary Frances, are spending the weekend visiting their daughter and sister, Mrs. Wilmer Payne and family in Moberly, Mo. Mr. Payne was formerly employed at the local shops and Mr. Schlib is a sheetmetal worker helper.

"Bill" Collins, photographer for the Missouri Pacific Magazine, was at the shops Friday and Saturday, taking pictures of various machines and individuals for use in the monthly magazine.

J. F. Rector, editor of the Missouri Pacific Magazine and director of publicity for the Missouri Pacific, was in the city Friday as a member of the reclamation committee, which held its meeting at the shops.

Mrs. H. M. Kelly, wife of general car foreman, returned home Friday from Greenville, Calif., where she has been visiting the

past few weeks with her daughter and husband.

Misses Earleen and Elaine Paxton, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Paxton, are spending the weekend visiting relatives in Kansas City. Mr. Paxton is a sheetmetal worker welder in the coach shop.

H. B. Nelson, with a lubrication company in Chicago, Ill., was a business visitor at the shops during the week. Mr. Nelson was formerly general boiler foreman at the shops.

C. E. Yochem, general boiler inspector for the Missouri Pacific with headquarters in St. Louis, was a business visitor at the shops during the past week.

Fred Fisher, pipefitter, has left for St. Louis to enter the Missouri Pacific hospital to receive medical attention.

W. C. Cook, stationery fireman at the power house, is taking a few days vacation and is visiting in Hot Springs, Ark.

The regular monthly business meeting of firemen and oilers was held Friday evening at the Labor hall.

Engine 9710, which has been overhauled at the shops, was taken out for a break-in Friday.

Engine 6427, which has been overhauled at the shops, was released for service Thursday.

News Was Slow

The greatest collision between the earth and a meteorite during modern times occurred in 1908 in Siberia, but wasn't headlined in newspapers until almost 20 years later.

Growing

In 1930, Denver, Colo., had a population of 278,861. The 1940 census showed a population of 318,415. It is the 25th largest city in the United States.

From Plants to Coal

Under pressure neat turns to coal since plant matter compresses successively into peat, lignite, bituminous coal and anthracite.

Syracuse

Miss Vilma Francis Broderson daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Broderson and Forest Williams Bishop, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bishop, were married at 7 o'clock Saturday evening, January 10, in the home of Rev. R. A. Browning pastor of the Tipton Baptist church. They were attended by Miss Marjorie Bishop and Ray Broderson. The bride is employed at the A. F. Martin garment factory in Tipton and the groom is a prosperous young farmer. They will reside on the Nelson Leonard farm which is a few miles north of here. A wedding dinner was served Sunday for the newly married couple at the home of the bride's parents.

The Boy Scouts met Tuesday evening at the school house with six members and their scout leader, Jon Engle, present. They voted to give the money they had in the treasury to the Red Cross fund and met Saturday to gather old papers and magazines to sell.

Miss Marjorie Mais visited with her sister, Miss Virginia Mais and Mrs. Paul Smith of Sweet Springs last week.

The Baptist church held their monthly business meeting last Friday evening. After the meeting an oyster supper was enjoyed by forty members and the pastor, Rev. C. W. Cadd of Jefferson City.

Mrs. Emmett Brauer, Mrs. Herbert Brauer, Mrs. O. E. Gordy, Mrs. Hattie Pennington, Mrs. B. A. Bridges and Mrs. J. F. Mais attended an all day meeting at the Baptist church in Ottaville on Tuesday.

J. H. Allison, Prof. and Mrs. John Allison spent several days in Chicago and Kansas City this week.

Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Keevil entertained with a 6 o'clock dinner Thursday evening in honor of Mrs. Keevil's niece, Miss Betty Joe Hubbard of Versailles. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. George Hubbard, Douglas Hubbard, George Dale Hubbard, Miss Mary Hubbard Keevil, all of Versailles, and Mara Jr. and Patricia Keevil.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Ellis spent the week end in Kansas City.

T. L. Moloney, Jr., of Warrensburg spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Moloney, Sr.

The Margaret Mission Circle

Project Leaders
Are Chosen

The Van Natta Homemakers met in their first meeting of the year at the home of Mrs. George H. Gorrell. Lunch, to which all contributed, was served at noon.

The new president, Mrs. Wesley Harding, was in charge of the business meeting and after the transaction of unfinished business plans were made for the new year.

The president appointed project leaders and gave them assignments as follows:

Dress forms, Mrs. John Witche and Mrs. J. F. Berry.

Care of furniture and rugs, Mrs. G. E. Heck and Mrs. Roy Alexander.

Storage of home produced food, Mrs. Frank Chaney and Mrs. Dewey Geiser.

Using canned meats, Mrs. George H. Gorrell and Mrs. Roy Ray.

Parliamentarian, Mrs. J. F. Berry.

Reading chairman, Mrs. Frank Chaney.

Child development, Mrs. George Gorrell.

Recreation and song leader, Mrs. Alexander.

Dramatics, Mrs. Dewey Geiser.

Program chairman, Mrs. Roy Ray.

The February meeting will be a Valentine party at the home of Mrs. Wesley Harding.

held its January meeting Thursday afternoon with Mrs. M. A. Collins as hostess. The devotional was conducted by the president, Mrs. Emmet Brauer, Mrs. B. A. Bridges was program leader for the afternoon. After the business session was held the remaining officers were elected: Mrs. Hattie Pennington, person service; Mrs. Theo Doll, white cross; Miss Harriet Shirley, Margaret Friend, Mrs. M. A. Collins as leaders for the Intermediate G. A. girls; Mrs. Ray Burns, as Sunbeam leader. Several committees were also appointed. Refreshments were served to sixteen members and one visitor, Mrs. R. E. Hutchison.

The Napton basketball team lost by a score of 26 to 38 in a game played against Syracuse on Friday night. The Syracuse second team also won by a 15 to 13 score.

† Mrs. Charley Mummert was called to St. Louis Tuesday on ac-

count of the serious illness of her little nephew, Maurey Schroeter, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Maurey Schroeter.

Mrs. Ray Stone of Kansas City is visiting with her mother, Mrs. Nellie Steele, who has been ill the past week.

'Jake' N. Simonds In
Kansas City Hospital

"Jake" N. Simonds, who has been ill for the past five weeks, is now a patient in the Bell Memorial hospital, Kansas City, Kas., for further examination. His brother, Dr. W. W. Simonds, of Tulsa, Okla., who has been here, has returned to his home in Tulsa.

DROPSY CURED

Chiropractors do not claim that their method is a definite cure for all kinds of dropsy, but there are many cases which have been cured. Over three years ago a young woman developed abdominal dropsy; there was so much water pressure that it pushed the lower part of the spine backward. Her doctor drained it but within a week the fluid accumulated again.

She wanted to know what chiropractic would do. That was uncertain. I recommended that the water in the abdomen be drained again before chiropractic treatments started. This was done. Some fluid accumulated after treatments were started but was absorbed by the body within two months.

The patient was recently given a physical examination by a doctor who knew nothing of her history, and was found physically fit. How did we do it? By restoring normal nerve supply. It was not definitely known what caused her trouble but it was thought to be tuberculosis of the kidneys or intestines. Nature heals, if possible, even though we do not know what the trouble is, if the normal nerve supply is restored. Chiropractors work with and through the remedial power of nature.

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There were about 6,500,000 persons more than 65 years of age in the United States in 1930. There will be about 15,000,000 in 1960, according to estimates.

Underground Water

Below London is a natural underground reservoir of water stretching about 30 miles north and south of the city, and about the same direction east and west.

The United States produces approximately 250,000 tons of sugar cane annually.

La Monte

(By Mrs. R. E. Kerby)
Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Cooper, of Independence, were weekend guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Reavis.

Mr. and Mrs. James G. Johnson and Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Shishler, of Platte City, were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Earle Miller and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Kelly, of Grain Valley, spent Sunday with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Kerby.

Mrs. Charles Carlin was hostess to her bridge club Tuesday evening at her home, with Mrs. Jerry Clemmens as a special guest. High scoring award went to Mrs. E. R. Keller. Refreshments were served by the hostess.

Mrs. Ray O'Dell went to Excelsior Springs Friday, where she visited until Sunday evening, with her mother, Mrs. Pearl Johnson.

Mrs. W. E. Pace returned home Wednesday from Malden, where she spent several days with the family of her sister, Mrs. Otto Demaree.

The January meeting of the La Monte Homemakers was held at the home of Mrs. Marion Crawford Friday afternoon, with a good percentage of the membership present. The business session was presided over by the president, Mrs. Ray O'Dell and roll call theme was "What Do I Want To Get Out of My Club Work This Year." The installation of officers for the coming year, with Mrs. Clyde Ferguson of Dresden presiding, was a very impressive feature of the meeting. This was followed by an interesting talk by Mrs. George Fichter, also of Dresden, who gave the club members much information on the "food for freedom" project. Mrs. Fichter also showed pictures of Pettis county farms and their productions. The names of Mrs. Paul Westbrook and Mrs. J. T. Edmundson were added to the membership list. The next meeting will be on Friday, February 20, at the home of Mrs. F. R. Harris.

Lowell Reavis, Bert Means and George Eckles left Wednesday morning for a 10 days trip through the southern states. They were accompanied by Rev. and Mrs. J. D. Briggs, who will visit their son, Fred Briggs and wife in Texas.

The La Monte Rebekah lodge was honored Thursday afternoon with a visit from Mrs. Olive Belshie of Jefferson City, state warden of the Rebekah assembly. While here Mrs. Belshie held a school of instruction during which she gave the members a better understanding of the work of the lodge. Other visitors were Mrs. Cora Schafer, district deputy president; Mrs. Bertha Johnson, membership promotion chairman, and Mrs. Earline Davis, all of Warrensburg, and Miss Elaine Zink of Knob Noster. Mrs. Johnson presented the lodge with two appropriate gifts for making the largest percentage of gain in membership during the year. Refreshments were served the members and guests.

Alva Hotzenpiller, of Smithton, visited Sunday at the home of his sister, Mrs. Henry Hall. Mrs. P. V. Harris and sister, Miss Lizzie Allison, of Sedalia, spent Saturday night and Sunday with the former's sister-in-law, Miss Mabel Harris.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Barb of Sweet Springs, visited Saturday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Barb.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Chevalier and daughter, Martha; Mrs. Harold Wills and Buster went to Kansas City Monday, where Mrs. Chevalier entered the Bell Memorial hospital for examination and treatment.

At the meeting of the I. O. O. F. in La Monte Monday night the officers for the ensuing term were installed. District Deputy Grand Master James Krolek of Sedalia was the installing officer. R. A. Mosby of Sedalia, W. C. Eckles and H. M. Mahin assisted. The following officers will serve the local lodge for this term: Noble Grand, Glenn Reynolds; Vice Grand, D. F. Wasson; Secretary, Owen Russell; treasurer, W. A. Scott; Right Supporter to Noble Grand, H. M. Mahin; Left Supporter to Noble Grand, H. L. McCune.

Hawaii Haircuts



Painted V's top off close-shaved haircuts of these recruits in Hawaii. Territorial Guard at Honolulu. Head shaving wasn't done with that bayonet.

Soviet Gains on 2000-Mile Front



From frigid Murmansk to sunny Sevastopol Russian troops are on the offensive against axis forces. Map shows Soviet gains against Nazis with major actions at Novgorod, Moshaisk, Orel, Kursk and Kharkov. Thin dotted lines show pre-war boundaries.

Cune; chaplin. C. I. Phipps; warden, Raymond Wasson; conductor, W. C. Jones; Right Supporter to Vice Grand, John Hunter Jones; Inside Guardian, W. C. Eckles; Outside Guardian, Floyd McKeehan.

Mr. and Mrs. Vard Houchen and son, Donald, of Florence, moved Saturday into the Bud Watson property on South Walnut street.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Ash and family have moved from the Rogers property in the north part of town to the residence on South Main recently vacated by Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Files.

Mrs. George Landes returned home Sunday evening from Kansas City, where she has been caring for her sister, Mrs. William Nelson, who recently suffered a stroke. Mrs. Landes reports her sister's condition as lightly improved.

Miss Eva Hotzenpiller left Sunday for a visit at the homes of her sisters, Mrs. Ben Mahnken and Mrs. Charles Griffin in Smithton.

Miss Maurine Swope of Sedalia was a weekend guest of Ruth McCune at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Smith and little daughter, Mary Margaret, had as dinner guests Sunday, Mrs. Smith's parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Fiert and daughter, Miss Mary and Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Hert and children, Eleanor and Edward, of California.

Ionia

(By Mrs. Homer Howe)

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Kelb and children, Marietta and Lloyd, who are staying at Springfield, where Mr. Kelb has employment, spent the weekend at their home here. On Sunday they were dinner guests of Mr. Kelb's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Kelb at Lincoln.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Wisdom, Jr., of Tipton, were overnight guests Sunday of Mrs. Wisdom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. Van Wey.

Mr. and Mrs. Otha Bailey, who have lived in the Manila neighborhood, moved Thursday back to their home, south of Ionia.

Private Oliver Wienberg, of

Fort Leonard Wood, spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Wienberg.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Neil visited Sunday with their son, Miles Neil. Mrs. Neil and children, of Fort Lyon.

Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Williams entertained at dinner Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Bumpas of Windsor, Mo. and Mrs. Robert Drake and children of Warsaw, Mrs. Anna Martin of Lincoln, Mr. and Mrs. D. Brady, Miss Louise Brady and Mr. and Mrs. Homer Brady.

Mr. and Mrs. William Schenewark and daughter, Annetta, returned Wednesday from the state of California, where they have visited the past month with their sons and brothers, Ralph and Lawrence Schenewark.

Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Antone will leave Saturday for Memphis, Tenn., where they will visit with their son, William Antone and Mrs. Antone.

Harry Keuper was a business visitor to Springfield Tuesday.

Mrs. Ona Benton sold her farm, one-half mile east of Ionia, the past week to Mr. and Mrs. Alfred of Windsor, Mrs. Benton and daughter, Betty Jo, will go to the state of California to make their home at the close of school.

Rev. and Mrs. Shockley, of Lebanon, Mrs. Ethel Willis, Mrs. Ruth Funk and Rev. and Mrs. Brandon were dinner guests on Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Washburn, of near Windsor. In the afternoon Rev. Shockley conducted the second quarterly conference of the Ionia-Brandon churches at Brandon.

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• Hughesville

(By Mrs. Harold Conway)

Mrs. D. R. Woody, of Buffalo, was a guest over Wednesday night of Mr. and Mrs. Roll Beal. Mrs. Woody and daughter, Libby Lee, who is attending Mary Washington college at Fredericksburg, Va., were former residents of Hughesville.

George Lowery, who has a position in the defense work in St. Louis, is spending the week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Lowery.

The name Barbara Sue has been given the infant daughter born December 19, to Mr. and Mrs. James Houchen of Lewisburg, Kas. The baby is a granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tom McCarty.

Everett Stevenson, who is a coast guard with the U. S. army at Long Beach, Calif., writes that they are constantly on the move and alert for enemy ships and planes.

Will McClure of Belleville, Ill., stopped by to see his mother, Mrs. Louella McClure, for short time Friday morning en route to his home.

The Reverend Emerson Hurd of Sedalia held services at the Methodist church Sunday afternoon at 2:30. Mr. Hurd is officiating for the pastor, Rev. Patison. Mr. Patison expects to be able to return to his pastorate in the near future.

Mr. and Mrs. Lon Slaton spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Slaton of Kansas City. While there they called on Mr. and Mrs. Robert Conway, who moved to

Challenges Anyone To Beat These



J. L. Cooper, of Windsor, who recently brought 44 used license plates to Sedalia for the defense council's collection to be scraped for defense projects, returned Friday with two unusual licenses. One was a 1910 license, black with white letters, and the name Missouri, (Mo.) but no year. It was used on a car, bought from Sears and Roebuck, that had wooden wheels, solid tires and a chain drive. The other license was 1911, yellow with white letters. The backs of both licenses are of aluminum. "Someone else brought in 69 licenses" said Mr. Cooper. "he beat me in number, but I'll bet he can't go back any further than the years 1910 and 1911."

Kansas City the latter part of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Leland Bealert entertained with a 6 o'clock dinner Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Lon Slaton, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Crain and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Conway.

Mrs. Carl Jewel and sons, Ed-die Gene and Paul, of Rawlins, Wyo., are guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ringen. Mr. and Mrs. Ringen had the following guests on Sunday: Mrs. Jewel and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Minter Ringen and son, Dean, of Sedalia; Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Ringen and children of Sweet Springs, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Martin and son, Joe Henry, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Norfleet and children of Houstonia, Miss Lorraine Ringen of the home assisted her mother. Mrs. Ringen will accompany her daughter, Mrs. Jewel, to her home in Rawlins, the latter part of the week, where she will remain for a six weeks' visit.

Miss Betty Page McClure, who has been quite ill, is improved, although is still confined to her bed.

Mrs. Walter Belshar, the former Miss Eunice McClure, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hut McClure, of Ottumwa, who was married December 29, and went to Los Angeles, Calif., where Mr. Belshar has a position in the defense work, writes that she has met many Missourians from this section there and have been entertained by several friends of Belshar, who located there during the duration.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Downs have returned from California, where they spent several weeks near their son, Jerry, who is with the U. S. army all along the Pacific coast. Mr. and Mrs. Downs had short visits at intervals with Jerry whenever the chance arose.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill May have moved to Rock Island, Ill., where he was transferred from the Holland Furnace company in Sedalia.

Hazel Parkhurst, who has been employed in Sedalia for the past year as a stenographer, has accepted a position in Washington, D. C., and left last week for that place.

James Parkhurst has a position on defense work and has gone to Davenport, Iowa.

Mr. and Mrs. Berry Elliott and Mrs. Joe Elliott entertained at dinner Sunday, the Reverend Mr. and Mrs. Lee Lakin of Warrensburg.

Word has been received here from Dr. and Mrs. Taylor Adams of West Palm Beach, Fla., that they are grandparents. The baby was born the middle of December, the child of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Sprecher Adams, also of West Palm Beach, Fla. Lee, the other son of Dr. and Mrs. Adams is in the U. S. air corps.

Mrs. Homer Cunningham entertained with a luncheon several friends on Tuesday.

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British Bayonets



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Mrs. John Fowler was hostess to the Presbyterian Auxiliary at a covered dish luncheon on Thursday. Mrs. John Callis was leader—Christ, the Church, the World, with the devotional Women at the Tomb, by Mrs. Walter Davis. Five dollars was sent to the Bible society for Bibles for the soldiers. The next meeting will be with Mrs. John Callis. Guests other than members present were Mrs. Louella McClure, Mrs. Berry Elliott, Mrs. Charles Olson, Mrs. Joe Elliott, Mrs. Dee Powell, Mrs. Charles Callis, Mrs. Will Callis and daughter, Miss Dorothy Callis, of Sedalia.

• Clarksburg

By Mrs. Maude Albin

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Birdsong of Kansas City, came Friday morning remaining until Sunday guests of Mr. Birdsong's mother, Mrs. Effie Birdsong and Mrs. Birdsong's father, H. B. Sappington.

Dr. and Mrs. Louis Needels and children of LeRoy, Ill., arrived Friday for a visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Needels. The W. M. U. met Friday night at the home of Mrs. Emma Wright for their regular monthly meeting. Mrs. Jessie Williams was leader and Mrs. Whitaker was in charge of the Bible study. At the close of the session the hostess served refreshments to twelve of the members. The next meeting will be with Mrs. J. C. Needels.

Earl Donley went to St. Louis Wednesday for medical treatment. Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Winebrenner of St. Louis, were week end visitors in the home of his father, W. G. Winebrenner and wife.

Lester Barnes and Fred Boren left Friday morning for Kansas to take a load of household goods

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Funeral services for Mrs. Stella Miller was held here Monday afternoon. She had just recently gone to St. Louis to visit her daughter and suffered a heart attack passing away Saturday in a hospital there. She was the youngest daughter of the late Dr. J. and Sarah Atkinson. Mr. Atkinson being a practicing physician at this place many years. She was born in 1875. Surviving are her daughter, Mrs. Floyd Ferrell and two children, of St. Louis. Funeral services were conducted at the Methodist church here of which she was a member, by Rev. J. and Sarah Atkinson. Dr. Atkinson sang: "Abide With Me," and "O Love That Will Not Let Me Go," with Mr. Todd at the piano. The pall bearers were Messrs. James Douglas, Dallas Winebrenner, Geo. Redding, Roy Wells, James Huff and Walter Wilson. Flower girls were the Morrison sisters of California, Mo. Interment was in the Clarksburg Masonic cemetery. Golder Howard, a brother-in-law of Marshall attended the funeral.

Milton Douglas, mail carrier from this place has been quite ill with bronchial trouble.

Tuesday evening the Woodmen lodge had their annual supper. It was served by the ladies of the Eastern Star lodge.

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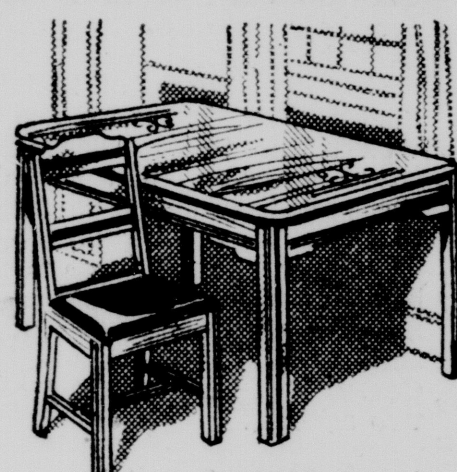
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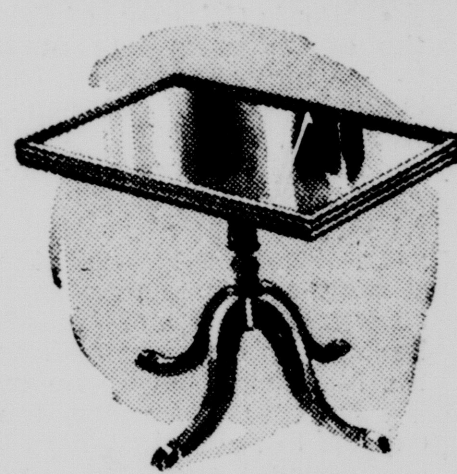
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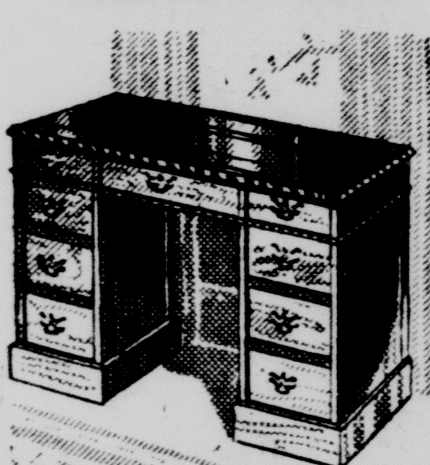
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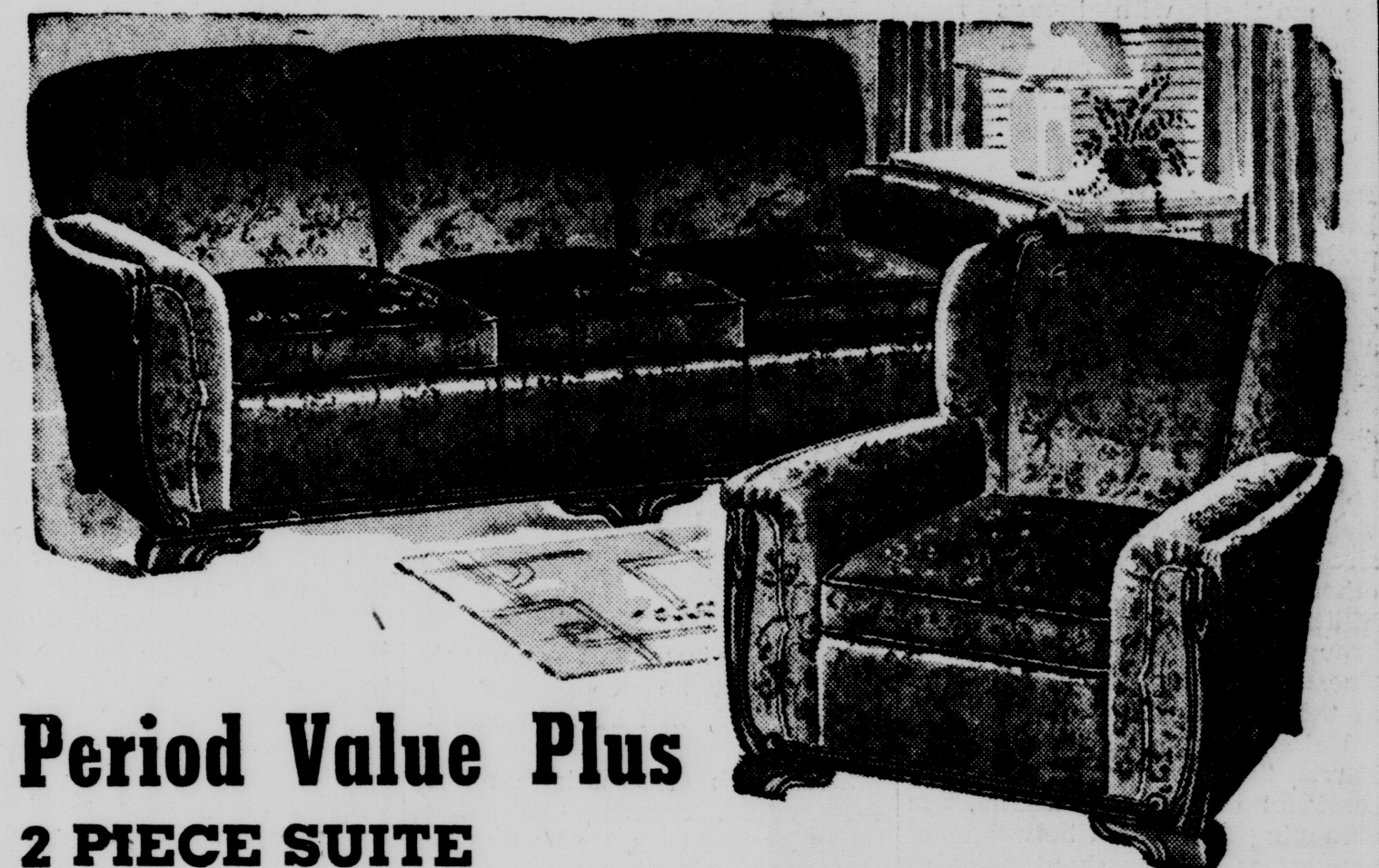
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Missouri Training School Fights Here

Golden Gloves Second Trials Tuesday Night

Fourteen Bouts For Sedalians; Wentworth Boys May Be Matches

BOXING BOUTS TUESDAY NIGHT. FIRST BOUT AT 8:15 PLACE "Y" GYM

The second trial bout for the Sedalia Golden Glovers will be held Tuesday night in the "Y" gym when the local aggregation faces the boxers from the Missouri Training School at Boonville. The fights will be underway at 8:15 o'clock.

Coach Earl Hallahan since last Tuesday has been working hard with the local boxers to get them into first class condition and he is confident the team will make an excellent showing. The boys in their first appearance before a Sedalia boxing crowd gave an exceptional good account for themselves and proved there still is leather pushing material in Sedalia inspite of the loss of more than sixteen more experienced boxers.

Workouts Today

This afternoon boys to appear on the card and others who expect to enter the tournament are to report for workouts at the gym at 2 o'clock this afternoon. Boys who fail to report for workouts will not be given tickets to the fight Monday night, nor any fights scheduled for the remainder of the trial bouts, especially the tournament.

It was announced Saturday night the following boys are to be matched with boxers from Boonville:—Ray Neitzert, 112; Billy Boehm, 118; Wayne Cook, R. G. Henley, Pete Cramer, and Donald Smith, 126; Tommy Sanders and Harry Cone 133; Robert Parker, Billy Slagel, and Elmer Bills, 147; Ralph Harrington and probably "Dutch" Blankenship, 160; Jimmy Woody heavyweight. Eddie Cook will be matched with a 98 pound Boonville boy.

No One Wants McMillan

Still efforts are being made to obtain a match for Aggie McMillan in the local ring, but as yet no middleweight or light heavyweight bower has indicated a desire to meet McMillan. Several other boxers with the Wentworth Military Academy team will be brought to Sedalia either this Tuesday or Friday to meet boxers in the local ring.

Hallahan and Thomas "Dolly" Farris, the latter the W.P.A. Recreational director in Sedalia, are arranging four bouts between the youngsters who workout daily at the "Y". These lads are true blue with their training, their love for boxing, and are faithful in the athletic program which has been arranged for them at the gym.

Hugh "Spot" Curran will be the third man in the ring with Billy Smith and Morton Weakley tallying up points to determine winners of the bouts. Roy Snyder will be at the bell checking the time of the rounds.

Donald Barr Loses Finger At Marshall

Donald Barr, Marshall, welterweight Golden Glove boxer will not be in this year's tournament in Sedalia. Barr while working in manual training at the high school in Marshall severed a portion of the middle finger on the left hand.

According to information received here, Barr was using a motor driven plane when the piece of material slipped and his finger was caught in the plane. The accident occurred Friday afternoon.

Barr has been in the Sedalia tournament the past three years and this season was in the "pink" of condition. He was entered as a welterweight and was confident that he would sail through the local contests and head for Kansas City.

Lincoln Hi Defeats Boonville 44 To 3

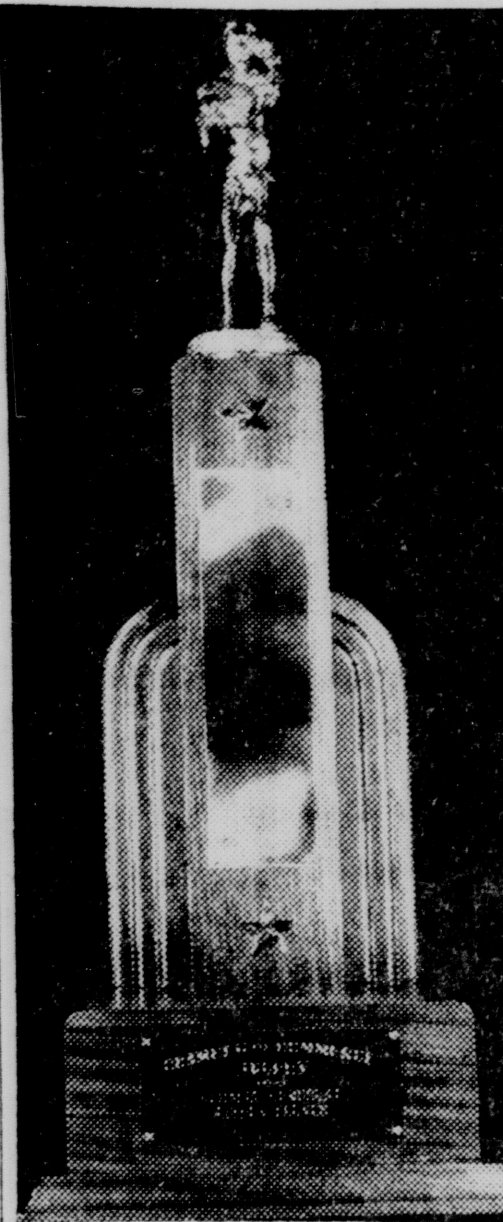
The Lincoln high school cagers defeated the Boonville Sumner high school, 44 to 3, last week on the Boonville court. The Lincoln girls' team defeated the girls of Sumner by a 14 to 2 score.

It was the fifth straight win for the Sedalians after the defeat they received from Kansas City when two overtime periods had to be played. The loss was by a score of 33 to 31.

Friday, January 30 the Sedalians meet Moberly on the local Court.

Los Angeles, Calif., is the largest American city east of Reno, Nev., and west of Denver, Colo.

C. of C. Glove Trophy



The Sedalia Chamber of Commerce Golden Glove team trophy which will be presented to the coach which has the greatest number of champions on the Sedalia Democrat - Capital Golden Glove team this year. The team will be presented on Friday night February 6 immediately following the final bouts.

Cage Tourney Sites Chosen By Officials

Winners Will Play For Championship March 12, 13, and 14

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 24—(P)—The Missouri State High School Athletic association announced the sites and teams today for six class A regional basketball tournaments.

The winners and the public school titlists from Kansas City and St. Louis will play for the state class A championship, March 12, 13 and 14, at a site to be selected.

Completed By Feb. 28

The regional tournaments, which must be completed by February 28, will be held as follows:

St. Joseph Central high school—Maryville, Trenton, Chillicothe, North Kansas City, De La Salle of Kansas City, William Chrisman of Independence and Central, Benton, Lafayette and Christman Brothers, all of St. Joseph.

Boonville high school—Kirksville, Marshall, Sedalia, Clinton, Jefferson City, Fulton, Columbia and Boonville.

Joplin high school—Webb City, Carthage, Nevada, Neosho, Montett, Aurora, Ava Lebanon, Springfield and Joplin.

Cape Girardeau State Teachers College—Central of Cape Girardeau, Jackson, Sikeston, Poplar Bluff, Doniphan, Houston, Crystal City and Flat River.

Coaches Meet Next Week

The two remaining regionals with eight teams each will be held at Normandy and Maplewood. St. Louis county, with Hannibal the only entrant outside the St. Louis district. Coaches of the 16 teams will meet next week to decide which will play in which tournament.

The association's board of control remained in session to set the boundaries and fix the sites for the 16 Class B regional tournaments, but Secretary Carl Burris said an announcement on the

action may not be ready until tomorrow.

St. Joseph Benton won the Class A championship last year in the state final tournament here in St. Louis and Camdenton won the Class B title at Springfield.

Only male vaporers have wings.

Tennis Pros Will Play In K. C. Monday

National Tournament Round-Robin Matches And Clinic Scheduled

Monday night tennis enthusiasts will have an opportunity to see the cream of tennis in action at the Municipal Auditorium in Kansas City, when the nationwide round-robin tournament will appear there. Bobby Riggs, Frank Kovacs, Fred Berry and Don Budge make up the quartet, but Kovacs is being replaced because of an arm injury.

Kovacs, who is known on the tennis court as the "clown prince" of tennis, will be on the sidelines, being replaced by Lester Stoeft, of California, former National singles and double champion. Stoeft held the honors with George Lott.

Tilden May Play

However, tournament officials are endeavoring to obtain Vines or Bill Tilden for Monday and if one or the other accepts he will replace Stoeft in the matches in Kansas City.



Bobby Riggs

Riggs, last year's National singles champion, has proved beyond a question of a doubt of his ability to hold his own against the top ranking professional players. Having started off the tournament in a slow stride he has hit his stride and is leading the pack by two victories.

Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock a tennis clinic is to be held in the auditorium, at which time Riggs and Budge will give tennis instructions. The clinic is open to all interested in tennis, including those players who reside away from Kansas City. A special invitation has been sent Sedalia players by Marion Miller, of the Missouri Valley A. A. U. which organization is sponsoring the Kansas City meet. No admission or instruction fees will be charged for the afternoon clinic.

Play For \$100,000 Pool

The nation-wide tour is promoted by Alexis Thompson, youthful Philadelphia millionaire sportsman, who guaranteed \$100,000 pool based on their rankings. The ranking system was introduced in order to have the players bear down at all times. This competitive spirit was clearly indicated in the Madison Square Garden show when Fred Perry injured himself going after a return that in routine matches he ordinarily would let go.

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All of you Golden Glove followers will recall Cedric Meador, Knob Noster, who always put up a good fight and enjoyed appearing in the local tournament. Cedric is now Private Meador of the United States Army, and he is missing the Sedalia Golden Glove tournament this year—BUT he writes, he is now a member of one of the "mightiest teams in the world."

His letter: "Just a line, to let you know that I will not be able to take part in your boxing tournament this year, for I am in the army, or I might say I am on the mightiest team in the world, and we have a big job ahead of us, but in the end we will come through with flying colors."

"I guess you haven't forgotten me. I am the boy who was with you the last two years from Knob Noster, Mo. I didn't do much, but it was a lot of fun and when I get back from this battle, I will be with you again. This army has gone a long way to make a man out of me. When I came in four months ago I weighed only 175 pounds, and now I am up to 190 pounds. I expect the army has taken a lot of your boys."

"A boy here gets very little time for boxing, but they teach him the right way to live."

"I am here, going to school, learning to be an auto mechanic. That may not seem like army life to you, but never-the-less they have to have a mechanic."

"Well, it won't be long until the tournament, and I wish you and your boys all the luck in the world. Yours truly, Pvt. Cedric Meador, Second Corps Area Auto Mechanic School, Miller Field, Staten Island, N. Y."

The reason I published this type of boys who have been in contact with the Democrat-Capital Golden Gloves these past few years. There have been many boys who have appeared in Sedalia from this district, who are now serving Uncle Sam, and reports we have received indicate every last one of them is making good.

Added to the list is Mark Peak of Lexington, Mo., who is out west, in the army, and Mike Tuck of Marshall, whose address is not known, but was last heard from several weeks ago out west with the 35th.

It is interesting to note that several of Smith-Cotton high's boys would like to box for an athletic venture, but they don't care a lot about going into it unless they can receive credit for the activity from the high school. In 1941 several boys boxed and others wrestled—in fact it is known to have been one of the crowd-drawers for the basketball games—but they received no honor from the high school in the form of either a credit or even a letter.

Boys play basketball, enter track, play football, even sing and debate and receive letters—BUT NO TO BOXING or WRESTLING LETTERS. We note that at other schools where boys box and in some cases have competition with other schools, even to entering into the Golden Gloves, they are rewarded for their time spent in training and boxing with a letter.

The Central Missouri Conference has but one team which we know of that has boxing and is at M. M. A. Sedalia has boys who are boxing in the Gloves, several others would like to represent Smith-Cotton in either school competition or even in the Golden Gloves. Letters cost little, but the fact that they are a reward from school adds much value to them for the boys.

To me there is no reason—at least a good reason has not been given why they shouldn't get letters, except that there hasn't been any school competition for boxing or it isn't a school activity YET. What is competition between M. M. A. and Smith-Cotton if it isn't school competition, even though it only involves two schools.

Ray Rayl, Sedalia's most outstanding track athlete, is going to Missouri U. is taking plenty of time outside his studies to interest other boys in various athletic events. He manages the Raylrodgers basketball team in the Intra-Mural basketball conference at the university, and now he has organized a Golden Glove boxing team which has been entered as Rayl's Tigers from the University of Missouri.

He has two boys who in my estimation are the most perfectly conditioned boys in the tournament. They are interested in sports and have decided to try their hand in the amateur boxing division—neither being a slouch at tossing the gloves I am told.

Morris Coleman, of Pilot Grove, who attends the U., through the studies late at night and works during the evening to see himself through college. Yet he takes time out during breathing spells between classes to go to Rothwell gym and work out, does plenty of road work and shadow boxing. He is confident and has reason to be.

Then there is Charles "Chuck" Spooner of Kansas City, who incidentally received a physical culture honor there last year. He has been at the university several years, is a good student and is much like Coleman. Spooner loves all kinds of athletics and is deeply interested in boxing, so much so, that he is very outspoken about going to Kansas City and showing the hometown people he can fight as well as do acrobatics.

Rayl in discussing the possibilities of the Columbia team expects to have eight boys entered. However, the lighter classes of flyweight and bantamweight will not be among his battlers.

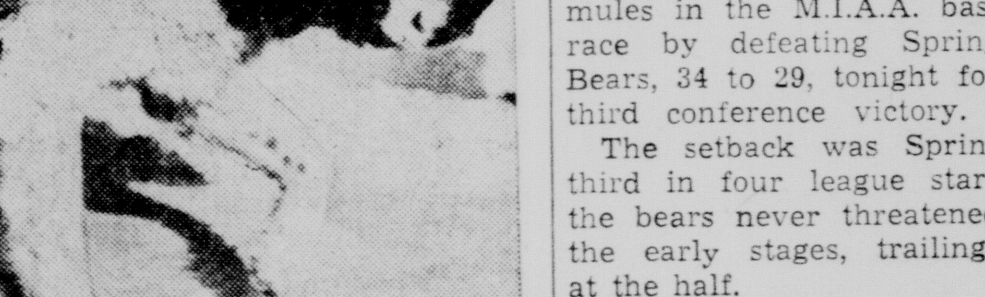
Also coming will be sixteen boys from the Boonville Training School headed by Major R. J. Carter, formerly of Springfield and an ardent Golden Glove follower.

Washburn Outbattles Warrensburg Mules 28-24

TOPEKA, Jan. 24—(P)—Washburn university's cagers outbattled Warrensburg, Mo., Teachers tonight to win a 28-24 triumph—their third consecutive victory and second in a row over an M.I.A.A. opponent.

The contest was a thriller to the final gun. The lead changed hands six times and neither team had more than a six-point margin at any time.

Canine Constitutional



Timmy, a St. Bernard minus the familiar brandy keg, takes her four pups for their daily hike over a snow-packed road near Sun Valley, Idaho.

Major Clubs Ready For Training

Florida Will Be Main Post, Dodgers Want Cuba Again

By JUDSON BAILEY

NEW YORK, Jan. 24—(P)—Many of the major league clubs have not yet mailed contracts and because of the confusion about night baseball their schedule for 1942 is unfinished, but all are ready to head for training camps within a few weeks.

The conditioning program will be as extensive as in any normal year, lasting as much as eight weeks for some teams and is expected to bring both the players and the fans up to the opening of the season, April 14, in a state of high expectancy.

Florida, as usual, will shelter most of the clubs of the majors as well as the International league, American association and some of the other minors. Four big league teams will train in California and the Brooklyn Dodgers plan to start their training in Cuba again, but will be back in Florida in time to give that state claim to a dozen clubs.

Braves And Browns Change

Both the Boston Braves and the St. Louis Browns, who had camps in Texas last year, will move to bases in Florida.

This is the training camp lineup:

American League
Yankees—St. Petersburg.
Red Sox—Saratoga.
Senators—Orlando.
Athletics—Anaheim, Calif.
White Sox—Pasadena, Calif.
Browns—Deland.
Tigers—Lakeland.
Indians—Clearwater.

National League

Dodgers—Havana and Daytona Beach.
Giants—Miami.
Braves—Sanford.
Phillies—Miami Beach.
Cardinals—St. Petersburg.
Reds—Tampa.
Pirates—San Bernardino, Calif.
Cubs—Avalon, Calif. (Catalina Island).

Giants Open Feb. 16

The Giants will inaugurate the training season by opening camp at Miami, February 16. Mel Ott, their new manager, is due in New York this weekend to work out details with other club officials.

The Dodgers will set up headquarters in Havana four days later and stay there till mid-March, when they will move in at Daytona Beach, where their Montreal farm club also will train.

Bob Quinn, president of the Braves, is happy over his setup at Sanford and says he hopes to become a permanent visitor. This means something, since the Braves trained for 17 consecutive years at St. Petersburg before getting a wanderlust that died in Texas last year.

Manager Frank Frisch is going to gather his Pirate pitchers together at El Centro, Calif., February 24, and there is a possibility that the second squad may have to report there, too, on March 5 because the army is using the baseball field at San Bernardino at present.

Connie Mack, similarly, will have the pitchers of the Philadelphia Athletics report to Coach Earl Brucker at Carlsbad, Calif., about February 14 for some preliminary work before the camp at Anaheim opens a week later.

Training for most other clubs will start the weekend of February 22.

Some Sunspot

A sunspot observed in December, 1939, had an estimated area of 3000 million square miles. This is 16 times larger than the surface of the earth.

The Lincoln Highway is 3384 miles long.

Tourney's Second Round Delayed

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 24—(P)—Immobile again today because of the second successive postponement of the 72-hole San Francisco open golf tournament, the country's leading professional linksmen marked time with assurances the \$5,000 event would be resumed tomorrow regardless of playing conditions.

The twice-delayed second round will be run off this time, committee members and P. G. A. Representative Fred Corcoran agreed, even if mud cleats fail to assure satisfactory grip on the fairways. The final 36 holes will be played Monday with a reduced field of the low 50 professionals plus the ten lowest scoring amateurs at the half way mark.

Cape Girardeau Defeats Springfield Bears 34-29

CAPE GIRARDEAU, Mo., Jan. 24—(P)—The once-beaten Cape Girardeau Teachers stayed close on the heels of the Warrensburg mules in the M.I.A.A. basketball race by defeating Springfield's Bears, 34 to 29, tonight for their third conference victory.

The setback was Springfield's third in four league starts and the bears never threatened after the early stages, trailing 13-18 at the half.

Service on Wheels
A California farm, 40,000 acres in area, uses a service station on wheels, complete with air and water, for servicing its farm machinery.

Coleman To Fight



Morris Coleman, Pilot Grove, a member of the University of Missouri Tiger boxing team, entered in the Golden Glove tournament to be held in Sedalia on February 3, 4 and 6. Coleman is a welterweight and a trackman at the university. He, with Charles "Chuck" Spooner, Kansas City, will be the "top men" on the Rayl's Tigers in the fights for the Central Missouri championships.

M. U. Tigers Upsets Iowa State 45-41

Defeat Drops Cyclones From Top Mizzous First Victory

COLUMBIA, Mo., Jan. 24—(P)—Iowa State's favored basketball quintet dropped out of first place in the Big Six race tonight victim of a 41-45 upset defeat at the hands of the hitherto winless Missouri Tigers.

Iowa State's defeat left the Big Six without an undefeated team and dropped the Cyclones a notch back if Kansas and Oklahoma which both have one loss. It was Missouri's first conference victory in five games.

Fight Uphill Battle

Missouri fought an uphill battle the last half after the visitors had taken a 28-25 lead and appeared headed for pay. Harvey swished in a couple to start the Tiger rally which almost turned into a rout. The score mounted to 38-29 before the startled Cyclones could get under way again—and then it was too late.

Missouri opened with the lead but Iowa came back and the teams matched points the first half, going into the intermission deadlocked at 17.

Al Budolfson, Iowa State forward, took scoring honors with 18 points. High for the Tigers was Harvey with 16.

The Box Score:

Missouri (45)	FG	FT	PF
Harvey, f.	6	4	0
Matheny, f.	3	1	3
Carter, f.	1	1	0
Teague, f.	1	0	2
Burns, c.	0	1	1
Storm, c.	3	1	4
Evans, g.	2	0	3
Mills, g.	2	1	2
Stark, g.	0	0	0
Constantz, g.	0	0	3

Totals

Iowa State (41)	FG	FT	PF
Budolfson, f.	7	4	2
Uknes, f.	0	0	1
Hayes, f.	1	1	0
Damon, f.	1	0	4
Mickelson, c.	1	0	2
Harville, c.	2	1	3
Schneider, g.	4	3	1
Harris, g.	4	3	1

Totals

16	9	14
At half: Iowa State 17 Missouri 17.		

Free throws: Missouri, Storm 3, Harvey, Carter, Evans; Iowa State Budolfson, Schneider 3, Uknes 2, Harris, Hayes.

Referee—House (Neb.); umpire, Pulliam, (Grand Isle).

Jungle-bred animals are preferred to those raised in captivity by animal tamers.

Foul on Wet Track



Unhorsed, Don Meade, right, pulls Eddie Arcaro's mount under water, as famous jockeys indulge in bit of rubberhorse play in Miami Beach, Fla., pool.

Tigers Outrank Colonels

Smith-Cotton Takes Early Conference Battle From M. M. A. By 23 to 15 Score

Led by sophomore Fred Hulse, the Smith-Cotton Tigers basketball team defeated the Missouri Military Academy, of Mexico, before a large crowd at the S-C auditorium by a score of 23 to 15 Friday night.

Hulse, high point man for the Bengals, with 12 marks to his credit, was the sparkplug for the team from start to finish. Carl Russell was runner-up finding the basket for five counts.

Atken, who played a forward position for the Colonels, hit the nettings for nine, and Walsh followed closed behind him with four points.

One Free Shot

The M. M. A. quintet when fouled could not find the range from the free throw lane and made only one free shot count, missing 12. The Tigers made five free shots and misjudged six.

In the first quarter not much action was seen by either side! The Colonels scored one field goal, sunk by Beverly who was at center, and the Tigers tossed in three field goals with Hulse counting for two, to make the scoreboard read 6 to 2 in favor of the locals at the end of the period.

In the second stanza each team counted for a shot from the field. During the entire first half not a free throw was sunk.

8 to 4 At Half

The score at halftime was Sedalia 8; M. M. A. 4.

In the third and fourth quarters the Tigers really put the game on ice, outplaying the Colonels all the way. They hit the basket for 15 points, ten of them field goals, and the Mexico basketekers made ten points, the one lone M. M. A. free throw of the game coming in the third frame by Atken. Atken tossed three field shots in the final period.

The Tigers will meet the fast-playing Columbia Kewpies on the Smith-Cotton high school court February 3.

After the game Friday night Sedalia Golden Glovers staged a number of boxing bouts.

Box score:

SEDALIA (23)	FG	FT	F
Livengood, f.	0	2	2
Hulse, f.	5	2	3
Russell, c.	2	1	1
Phelps, g.	0	0	0
Lugen, g.	1	0	1
Rissler, c.	0	0	1
Biggs, g.	0	0	1
Leets, g.	1	0	1
Carver, g.	0	0	2
Anderson, g.	0	0	0
Totals	9	5	12

M. M. A. (15)

Walsh, f	2	0
Atken, f	4	1
Beverly, c	1	0
Bailey, g	0	0
Boudoures, g	0	0
McCue, f	0	0
Totals	7	1
Missed free throws: Sedalia		
M. M. A. 12.		

Missed free throws: Sedalia 6, M. M. A. 12.

Half time score: Sedalia 8, M. M. A. 4.

Official: Whiteman from Warrensburg.

Protected Porpoise

"Pilot Jack," a large porpoise, net and accompanied ships into the Harbor of Wellington, New Zealand, for years. It was protected by law.

There often is no accompanying thunder in heat lightning.

CITY OF SEDALIA, MISSOURI

Annual Statement of Receipts and Disbursements for the Twelve (12) months period ending as at December 31st, 1941:

BALANCE on hand as at January 1st, 1941		
Funded Account	\$ 9,895.63	
General Account	31,024.32	40,919.95
Bond Account	21,885.66	21,885.66

RECEIPTS

TAXES		
Real Estate	67,596.78	
Personal	10,264.17	
Advalorem	4,924.53	
Penalties	1,870.96	
Poll Tax	1,524.00	86,180.44

LICENSE		
Merchants	32,685.08	
Automobile	15,323.15	
Dog	886.00	48,894.23

GASOLINE TAX		
City Tax of 1c per gallon	25,436.28	25,436.28

FRANCHISE AND CORPORATION		
S. W. Bell Telephone Co. Franchise	2,759.96	
Corporation Tax	8,628.53	11,388.49

PUBLIC LIBRARY		
Fines and Penalties	167.00	167.00

PUBLIC PARKS		
Revenue from Concessions	1,449.42	1,449.42

CROWN HILL CEMETERY		
Revenue	5,879.41	5,879.41

POLICE DEPARTMENT		
Fines	1,903.50	1,903.50

MISCELLANEOUS REVENUE		
Street Cuts and Plumber Permits	1,978.30	
Scale Revenue	1,042.45	
Other Incomes	585.40	
Fire Department Revenue	155.00	
25% of Parking Meter Revenue	1,275.56	5,036.71

TOTAL REVENUE FROM ALL SOURCE		186,335.48
TOTAL TO ACCOUNT FOR		249,141.09

DISBURSEMENTS

FIXED CHARGES—BONDS RETIRED		
Bothwell Hospital	5,000.00	
Armory and Drill Hall	1,000.00	
Colored Hospital	1,000.00	
Judgment Funding	3,000.00	10,000.00

FIXED CHARGES—INTEREST PAID		
Bothwell Hospital	2,327.03	
Armory and Drill Hall	461.00	
Colored Hospital	361.00	
Judgment Funding	1,153.37	4,302.40

LIGHTS AND WATER		
Public Street Lighting	13,901.80	
Fire Hydrant Rentals	16,500.00	30,401.80

CONSTRUCTION ACCOUNT		
Colored Hospital	13,610.81	
Armory and Drill Hall	15,726.42	
City Hall and Auditorium	3,600.00	
General Equipment	115.75	33,052.90

DEPARTMENTS		
Charity	7,881.82	
Contingent	18,705.68	
Fire	21,301.50	
Police	21,786.04	
Salary Account	8,278.20	
Streets and Alleys	23,096.66	
Public Parks	5,604.73	
Public Library	8,928.18	
Crown Hill Cemetery	5,413.60	
Public Buildings	3,123.64	124,120.05

TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS ALL SOURCES		201,877.23
BALANCE on hand as at		
December 31st, 1941		

Funded Account	13,160.70	
General Account	31,246.98	44,407.68
Bond Account	2,856.18	2,856.18

TOTAL ACCOUNTED FOR		249,141.09
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OTHER INFORMATION

DELINQUENT TAXES		
Real Estate	22,450.48	
Personal	17,658.09	
Advalorem	1,292.63	41,401.20
Tax delinquencies for 1941		16,802.81
Delinquencies prior to 1941		24,598.39

ASSESSED VALUATION AND TAX LEVY		
Total City Assessed Valuation	15,808,382.00	
Tax Levy per \$100 Assessed Valuation		.60

BONDED INDEBTEDNESS

Date of Issue	Description	Original Issue	Outstanding
Mar. 5th, 1929	Bothwell Hospital	\$200,000.00	\$52,000.00
Nov. 16th, 1934	Judgment Funding	44,497.77	24,000.00
Oct. 1st, 1940	Armory & Drill Hall	25,000.00	24,000.00
Oct. 1st, 1940	Colored Hospital	20,000.00	19,000.00
TOTALS		289,497.77	119,000.00

Respectfully submitted,

COMMITTEE ON FINANCE AND TAXES

E. C. Summers, Chairman,
Dr. F. M. Fulkerson, Member,
Ed H. McLaughlin, Member.ATTEST: With the Seal of said City,
JAMES M. BAILEY, City Clerk.

(SEAL)

Stronger Tone
To Stock Market

NEW YORK, Jan. 24—(AP)—Rally again held the buying play in today's stock market and enabled the list to emerge from a desultory week pointing selectively upward.

Nothing much of an inspirational nature was seen in the week and the broadening appetite for carrier securities was still attributed partly to hopes the I. C. C. would duplicate the fare boost with a freight rate increase and to expectations mounting revenues and traffic would put many long-suffering roads well in the black.

The Associated Press average of 50 stocks was up .2 of a point at 37.6 but on the week showed a net loss of .1. Dealings picked up at intervals and transfers totaled 291,680 shares compared with 221,710 a week ago.

Among new 1941-42 highs were those of Santa Fe, Chicago Great Western Preferred and Gulf Mobile & Ohio Preferred. Common and preferreds of Nickel Plate, Southern Railway, Pere Marquette and Erie were well out in front throughout.

On the advancing side were Great Northern, Southern Pacific, Pennsylvania, N. Y. Central, American Telephone, Standard Oil (N. Y.), Texas Co., Allied Chemical, J. C. Penney, North American, Consolidated Edison, Kennecott and International Harvester.

Shares of South Porto Rico Sugar and Pajardo Sugar were up around a point each as Washington reported threats of a serious shortage of the staple probably would result soon in federal rationing to consumers.

U. S. Gypsum slipped, along with U. S. Steel, Union Carbide and Glenn Martin.

Railway bonds continued to rise.

Grain Prices Are
Given A Lift

CHICAGO, Jan. 24—(AP)—A late rush to buy today lifted grain futures prices back to near top levels for the past five years, reducing losses inflicted by profit taking since these peaks were established earlier in the week.

Finishing at the day's highs, wheat closed $\frac{1}{2}$ to 1 cent higher than yesterday, May $\$1.32\frac{1}{2}$ to $\$1.34\frac{1}{2}$; corn $\frac{1}{2}$ to $\frac{1}{4}$ cent up, May $\$1.14\frac{1}{2}$ to $\$1.16\frac{1}{2}$; oats unchanged to $\frac{1}{4}$ cent up, May $\$1.14\frac{1}{2}$ to $\$1.16\frac{1}{2}$; soybeans $\frac{1}{2}$ to $\frac{1}{4}$ cent higher, May $\$1.99\frac{1}{2}$ to $\$2.01\frac{1}{2}$; and lard 3 higher to 3 lower. Soybeans had registered gains of more than 4 cents at one time but about a cent was shaved away by late profit taking.

Rye contracts established new highs since 1937 and other grains were only fractionally below the five-year peaks established yesterday. July soybeans hit a top of $\$2.01\frac{1}{2}$, within $\frac{1}{4}$ to the all-time high posted for this commodity last September.

Chicago Live Stock

CHICAGO, Jan. 24—(AP)—U. S. Department Agriculture—Hogs—Salable receipts 400; today's market steady to strong; few small lots 190-230 pounds, average $\$11.50$ to $\$11.65$; available top around $\$14.75$; compared with a week ago, good and choice 160-300 pounds, barrows and gilts 10 to 15 cents higher; packing sows 25 to 40 cents up.

Cattle—Salable receipts none; today's market nominal; compared Friday last week, strictly choice and prime light and long yearlings, both steers and heifers, steady; other grades yearlings 25 to 40 cents lower; all grades medium weight and weighty steers 50 cents down, instances 75 cents or more off; heifers generally 50 to 75 cents down; cows lost early advance, closing steady; bulls 50 cents lower; vealers strong; bulk fed steers and yearlings, $\$11.50$ to $\$11.75$; week's extreme top, $\$14.85$, paid for 1,032-1,096 pounds prime yearlings.

Sheep—Salable receipts, none; today's market nominal; compared Friday last week; fat lambs scaling

Closing of Leading Stocks

	Close	Close	Close
	Fri.	Sat.	Fri.
American & For. Power	124 1/2	124 1/2	124 1/2
American Smelt. & R.	124 1/2	124 1/2	124 1/2
American Tel. & T.	124 1/2	124 1/2	124 1/2
American Tobacco, B.	124 1/2	124 1/2	124 1/2
Anaconda	124 1/2	124 1/2	124 1/2
Atchafalpa T. & S. F.	124 1/2	124 1/2	124 1/2
Atlas Power	124 1/2	124 1/2	124 1/2
Aviation Corp.	124 1/2	124 1/2	124 1/2
Bethlehem Steel	124 1/2	124 1/2	124 1/2
Chrysler Corp.	124 1/2	124 1/2	124 1/2
Coca-Cola	124 1/2	124 1/2	124 1/2
Curtis-Wright	124 1/2	124 1/2	124 1/2
Curtis-Wright A	124 1/2	124 1/2	124 1/2
Du Pont de Nu	124 1/2	124 1/2	124 1/2
Eastman Kodak	124 1/2	124 1/2	124 1/2
General Electric	124 1/2	124 1/2	124 1/2
General Foods	124 1/2	124 1/2	124 1/2
General Motors	124 1/2	124 1/2	124 1/2
International Harvester	124 1/2	124 1/2	124 1/2
International Shoe	124 1/2	124 1/2	124 1/2
International Tel. & Tel.	124 1/2	124 1/2	124 1/2
Kennecott Corp.	124 1/2	124 1/2	124 1/2
Libbey, McE. and L.	124 1/2	124 1/2	124 1/2
Liggett and Myers B.	124 1/2	124 1/2	124 1/2
Loose-Wiles Biscuit	124 1/2	124 1/2	124 1/2
Mid-Cont. Petroleum	124 1/2	124 1/2	124 1/2
Missouri-Kansas-Texas	124 1/2	124 1/2	124 1/2
Montgomery Ward	124 1/2	124 1/2	124 1/2
Nash-Kelvinator	124 1/2	124 1/2	124 1/2
National Cash Register	124 1/2	124 1/2	124 1/2
North American Co.	124 1/2	124 1/2	124 1/2
Packard Motor	124 1/2	124 1/2	124 1/2
Pepsi-Cola	124 1/2	124 1/2	124 1/2
Phillips Petroleum	124 1/2	124 1/2	124 1/2
Purity Baking	124 1/2	124 1/2	124 1/2
Radio Corp. of America	124 1/2	124 1/2	124 1/2
Sears Roebuck	124 1/2	124 1/2	124 1/2
Skelly Oil	124 1/2	124 1/2	124 1/2
Southern Calif. Edison	124 1/2	124 1/2	124 1/2
Standard Oil Indiana	124 1/2	124 1/2	124 1/2
Studebaker Corporation	124 1/2	124 1/2	124 1/2
Swift & Co.	124 1/2	124 1/2	124 1/2
U. S. Steel	124 1/2	124 1/2	124 1/2
Westinghouse El. & Mfg.	124 1/2	124 1/2	124 1/2

Few Leaders Upon the Curb

	Close	Close	Close
	Fri.	Sat.	Fri.
American Light and T.	124 1/2	124 1/2	124 1/2
Arkansas Nat. Gas	124 1/2	124 1/2	124 1/2
Arkansas Nat. Gas, A.	124 1/2	124 1/2	124 1/2
Assoc. G. and El. A.	124 1/2	124 1/2	124 1/2
Cities Service	124 1/2	124 1/2	124 1/2
Cities Service, pf	124 1/2	124 1/2	124 1/2
Easton Pith. Lead	124 1/2	124 1/2	124 1/2
El Bond and Sh.	124 1/2	124 1/2	124 1/2
Ford M. Can. A.	124 1/2	124 1/2	124 1/2
Ford Mot. Ltd.	124 1/2	124 1/2	124 1/2
Gulf Oil	124 1/2	124 1/2	124 1/2
Nat. Bel. Hess	124 1/2	124 1/2	124 1/2
Southern Union Gas	124 1/2	124 1/2	124 1/2
Southern Union Gas, pf	124 1/2	124 1/2	124 1/2
South Railway	124 1/2	124 1/2	124 1/2
Standard Oil Ky.	124 1/2	124 1/2	124 1/2

around 90 pounds and down 15 to 25 cents lower, heavier kinds, especially 100 pounds and upward 25 to 50 cents lower; extreme top Monday $\$12$, drifting downward to $\$12.50$ on the close.

Chicago Grain Table

Range of prices for wheat, corn, oats, rye and soybeans for future delivery in Chicago:

	High	Low	Saturday	Friday
WHEAT—				
May 1942	131 1/2	131 1/2	132 1/2	132 1/2
July 1942	132 1/2	132 1/2	133 1/2	133 1/2
Sept 1942	133 1/2	133 1/2	134 1/2	134 1/2
CORN—				
May 1942	89 1/2	89 1/2	89 1/2	89 1/2
July 1942	91 1/2	91 1/2	91 1/2	91 1/2
Sept 1942	92 1/2	92 1/2	92 1/2	92 1/2
OATS—				
May 1942	59 1/2	59 1/2	59 1/2	59 1/2
July 1942	59 1/2	59 1/2	59 1/2	59 1/2
Sept 1942	59 1/2	59 1/2	59 1/2	59 1/2
RYE—				
May 1942	88 1/2	88 1/2	88 1/2	88 1/2
July 1942	90 1/2	90 1/2	90 1/2	90 1/2
Sept 1942	91 1/2	91 1/2	91 1/2	91 1/2
SOYBEANS—				
May 1942	195 1/2	195 1/2	195 1/2	195 1/2
July 1942	197 1/2	197 1/2	197 1/2	197 1/2
Oct 1942	198 1/2	198 1/2	198 1/2	198 1/2

Opening prices for grain in Chicago were: Wheat—May, 131 1/2; July, 132 1/2; September, 133 1/2. Corn—May, 89 1/2; July, 91 1/2; September, 92 1/2. Oats—May, 59 1/2; July, 59 1/2; September, 59 1/2. Rye—May, 88 1/2; July, 90 1/2; September, 91 1/2. Soybeans—May, 195 1/2; July, 197 1/2; September, 198 1/2.

Houstonia

Mrs. Bennie Martin

Mrs. Ed Altizer entertained on Friday evening at a bridge party for three tables of players, Mrs. Dewey Houchen, Mrs. G. H. Tevebaugh, Miss Mary Elizabeth Tevebaugh, Mrs. Jay B. Dorsey, Mrs. Russell Wicker, Miss Mary Stephens, Mrs. Jack Morris, Mrs. Wayne Westbrook, Mrs. Claude Mott, Mrs. Ed Miller, Mrs. Raymond Wicker, Mrs. John Harris. Awards of defense savings stamps went to Mrs. Jay Dorsey, for high score, Mrs. G. H. Tevebaugh, second high and to Mrs. Jack Morris in a bingo game. Mrs. Altizer served refreshments.

Miss Margaret Scott entertained her contract bridge club and several guests Saturday afternoon. Club award for high score, defense stamps, went to Mrs. Wayne Westbrook, guest award to Miss Mary Elizabeth Tevebaugh, and bingo award to Mrs. Muri L. Green. Others present were: Mrs. Russell Wicker, Mrs. Raymond Wicker, Miss Henrietta Smith, Mrs. Claude Nutt, Miss Ethel Westbrook, Miss Jack Morris, Mrs. Ed Miller, Mrs. Amos Rhinehart, Mrs. John T. Harris, Jr. The hostess, assisted by her mother, served refreshments.

Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Houchen, Mrs. Omer Morris and Mrs. Wampers spent Wednesday in Kansas City.

Mrs. F. W. Hueben entertained of her bridge club. There were four tables of players. High score club award went to Mrs. Jay B. Dorsey, low to Mrs. L. P. Welborn, and guest high score award to Mrs. Dewey Houchen and low to Mrs. Ed Miller and bingo award to Mrs. Ocie Smith. Refreshments were served.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Charles of Houstonia, rural route, are parents of a daughter, born Sunday, January 4, and who has been named Elva Faye.

Mr. and Mrs. James Houchen formerly of Houstonia, now of Louisburg, Kas., are parents of a daughter, born Monday, January 19. Mrs. Houchen was formerly Miss Nina McCarty.

Mr. and Mrs. Less Stuart of Centralia, visited Mrs. Stuart's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. M. McClure here Monday.

Mrs. Jack Butts has returned from a three weeks stay with Mr. and Mrs. John Butts and family in Charleston, S. C.

There was a large attendance at the monthly fellowship meeting of the Community church, Wednesday evening.

Circle No. 2 of the Methodist church, composed of the young women, met at the home of Mrs. Ed Miller.

The Fidelis Circle met at the home of Mrs. Ernest J. Ryan in its January meeting.

The Royal Workers Sunday school class and their teacher met in its January meeting with Mrs. Frank McCarty, Jr., and Miss Florence Rothrock, hostesses.

Mrs. Agnes Eads spent last week end in Independence with her daughter, Mrs. Carol Norfleet and Mr. Norfleet.

Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Homan spent the weekend with relatives in Strausberg.

Tommie Phipps of Kansas City, is spending a few weeks here with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Early Davis.

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Will Be Bride In February



Miss Dorothy Schott, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Schott, who will marry William Harold Garrett, the first of February.

Society and Clubs

Miss Betty Heffernan, whose engagement and approaching marriage has recently been announced, was honor guest at a party, given Thursday night by Miss Helen Barrick, at her home, 2505 East Twelfth street.

The affair was a kitchen shower and Miss Heffernan received many lovely and useful gifts. Liverpool rummy was the diversion of the evening, awards going to Miss Anna Franklin, high, and Miss Velda Uffman, consolation.

Guests were Miss Heffernan, her mother, Mrs. L. E. Heffernan, Mrs. Norton Heffernan, Miss Anna Franklin, Miss Mary Helen Meyer, Miss Velda Uffman, Miss Frances Meyers, Mrs. Frances Rake, Mrs. Russell Peck, of Detroit.

Miss Barrick was assisted in entertaining by her mother, Mrs. F. W. Barrick.

Another pretty party was given for Miss Heffernan Saturday afternoon, January 17, by Misses Mary Helen and Frances Meyer, at their home, 500 North Quincy avenue.

Guests were invited for a dessert bridge, and after a dessert luncheon, spent the afternoon playing bridge and rummy. Miss Anna Franklin received the first award in rummy and Mrs. Russell Peck, of Detroit, second and Mrs. George Oeack won first in bridge and Miss Carolyn Courtney, second. Miss Heffernan was present with a gift.

Guests were Miss Heffernan, her mother, Mrs. L. E. Heffernan, Mrs. Norton Heffernan, Mrs. Charles Arnest, Mrs. George Peak, Mrs. Thomas Gray, Mrs. Russell Peck, Miss Anna Franklin, Miss Carolyn Courtney and Miss Marian Keens.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Rogers, of Sedalia, announce the engagement of their daughter, Helen Rogers, to Mr. Lionel Schlobohm, son of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Schlobohm, of Smithton.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Schott, 908 East Seventh street, announce the engagement of their daughter, Dorothy, to William Harold Garrett, son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Garrett, 600 West Fifth street. The marriage will take place February 1.

Engaged



Miss Helen Rogers, whose engagement to Lionel Schlobohm, of Smithton, has been announced by her parents.

Miss Maurine Bohling, daughter of Judge and Mrs. Walter H. Bohling of Jefferson City, formerly of Sedalia, has been appointed to the State Council of Art Schools, one of four associate members. The appointment was made by Miss Virginia Wheeler, an instructor at the University of Missouri, who is state president.

Janice Gay Carl celebrated her seventh birthday Saturday by having a party on the balcony of the Star Drug store, where ice cream and a beautifully decorated

Brides In Triple Wedding Ceremony



Mrs. LeRoy Scott



Mrs. W. C. Eckles

Mrs. Scott was formerly Miss Georgia Bliss and Mrs. Eckles formerly Miss Loretta Walston, who with Paul Russell and Miss Sadie Jacobs, went to Warrensburg recently where a triple wedding ceremony was performed.

Mrs. Scott and Mrs. Eckles left Saturday morning for Fort Jackson, S. C., to join their husbands who are in the army there. Mrs. Russell will join her husband there a little later.



Miss Christine Hauschild
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Miss Lillian Sorgoske,
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Miss Hazel Palmer
Sedalia, 2nd vice-president



Miss Frances Tapp,
Maryville, 3rd vice-president



Miss Elizabeth Frogge
Memphis, recording secretary



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Joplin, Treasurer

Austin Faricy To Give Program Of Old Music

ed birthday cake, with seven candles, was served to Janice and her little friends. Attending the party were, Barbara Rae Christy, Wayne Cohn, Joy Tweet, Jo Ann Pasley, Beverly Carl, Donald Carl.

The Pettis So-Mor Circle will hold an all-day meeting Wednesday, at the home of Mrs. L. R. Butcher, 411 West Fifth street, with Mrs. Lena Morrison, Mrs. H. A. Pledge, Mrs. A. Maxwell and Mrs. Marie Gilbert.

The Fortnightly Book club will meet at 2:15 o'clock Tuesday afternoon, January 27, at the home of Mrs. Fred Shaffer, 901 South Prospect avenue. Roll call will be responded to with quotations and reading of the book, "Heritage of America" will be continued. Items of interest in the U. S. A. will be given over the teacups.

A pretty home wedding last Sunday afternoon was that of Miss Marjorie Brown and Mr. Walter Schmide, of this city. The ceremony which took place at 3 o'clock at the home of the bride's parents in Moberly, was performed by the Rev. Father R. C. Vatter, pastor of the Immaculate Conception church of that city.

Huckleberry was used in profusion to transform the fire place and mantel of the living room into an improvised altar. Tall standards of white gladioli and maiden-hair fern were on each side of the altar, together with high wrought-iron candelabra holding white tapers.

As Miss Sadie Foster of Sedalia

A harpsichord program, "The Delights of Old Music," will be presented by Austin Faricy of Columbia, at 2 o'clock Wednesday afternoon at the Heard Memorial clubhouse, as the Helen G. Steele Music club's third artist's recital of the season.



Austin Faricy

Although he is an author, an artist and a musician, Mr. Faricy claims amateur standing and calls himself by profession a school teacher. Since, however, he teaches the widely varied Humanities course at Stephens college, he has ample occasion to call upon his versatile acquaintance with the arts.

His chief musical interests are sixteenth century liturgical polyphony, old keyboard music and modern Spanish pianoforte music. Three years' residence in Oxford as a Rhodes scholar and extensive European travel afforded him rich material for his musical pursuits.

Mr. Faricy is co-author with Louise Dudley of "The Humanities," a survey of the practical aesthetics of the fine arts.

carried a bouquet of Japanese Iris and Narcissus.

The bride then descended the stairs on the arm of her father, Mr. Jay Gordon Brown. Miss Brown, a blonde, was exquisite in a floor length gown of pale blue chiffon. The dress was fashioned with draw-string neck line and sleeves and draped girdle. Gold sequins studded the neck line. A halo of Narcissus adorned her hair and she carried a bouquet containing flowered bridal ribbon. The bride's only jewelry was a tiny cross and chain, the bride-groom's gift to her.

Mr. Schmide's groomsmen was Mr. Joseph Groner of Lexington.

A reception followed the ceremony and the guests were invited into the dining room by Mrs. Brown who was dressed in Alice blue crepe. Her corsage was Sweet Peas and Narcissus.

The elaborately decorated, three tier wedding cake topped by a miniature bride and groom under an arbor of silver leaves formed the center-piece of the lace covered table. The cake was surrounded with a wreath of maiden hair fern and Narcissus. Crystal candelabra supporting white tapers, added to the beauty of the table. Mrs. Leslie A. Brown of Jefferson City cut the cake which was served with delmonico and Angel ice cream. Mrs. Brown wore coral crepe and a corsage of Sweet Peas.

Mrs. Howard Stamper, of St. Louis presided over the punch bowl at a serving table. Her dress was of peach satin and her corsage of Carnations.

Elaine Ehrler, of Sedalia, passed yellow and white mints and salted nuts in crystal dishes. Elaine's floor length salmon colored taffeta dress was trimmed with periwinkle velvet ribbon.

Bowls of white cocoanut Chrysanthemums were used on the buffet. A lovely old chest in the reception hall was decorated with huckleberry and white candles.

After motion pictures were taken of Mr. and Mrs. Schmide, they left on a short honeymoon trip of undisclosed destination. Just before leaving the bride threw her bouquet which was caught by Miss Sadie Foster.

Mrs. Schmide's going away costume was a yellow wool suit over which she wore a brown



Miss Laura Quisenberry
Columbia, corresponding secretary

squirrel coat. Her accessories were brown and violets formed her corsage.

Mr. Schmide is a representative of the Prudential Life Insurance Co. Mrs. Schmide has been employed as a Service representative of the Southwestern Bell Telephone Company, having been transferred here from the Moberly office two years ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Schmide will reside at the Ruby Lea apartments after February 1st.

Out of town guests who attended the wedding were: Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Allison and son Carl of St. Joseph, Mr. and Mrs. L. Fred Krue, Washington, Mr. Allan Brown, Keytesville, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie A. Brown, Jefferson City.

Mrs. Effingham Barney, Keytesville, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Schmide, Marshall, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Schmide, Higginsville, Mr. and Mrs. Edward J. Schmide, Windsor, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Groner, Lexington, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Stamper, St. Louis.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugo Sparr, Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Walker, Mr. and Mrs. Harold W. Ehler and daughter Elaine, Miss Mary Lee Cox, Miss Jane Laupheimer, Miss Mary Ross Hoffman, Miss Sadie Foster, Mr. A. J. Harlan all of Sedalia.

The Osage chapter Daughters of the American Revolution were entertained Saturday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Jesse Saunders, Tenth street and Vermont avenue, with Mrs. I. E. Dey, Mrs. A. P. Strole, Mrs. William A. Buell and Mrs. Elizabeth Ricks, assisting hostess. Forty-two members enjoyed the hospitality of the home. In the dining room a large bouquet of chrysanthemums and other flowers adorned the table, the buffet was centered by a cluster of small American flags and miniature soldiers in battle formation formed an interesting motif. Crystal candelholders on either side of the buffet held white tapers. There were also bouquets of lovely flowers in the living room and the large silk flag, belonging to the chapter, dominated the room.

Mrs. Frank S. Leach, the regent, presided, opening the session with the patriotic song, "The Star Spangled Banner." During the business session Mrs. Leach and Mrs. J. E. Mitchell were elected delegates to the 51st annual continental congress of the society of the D. A. R. in Washington, D. C., April 20 to 25. Mrs. E. W. Kettleson, Miss Lura McCluney, Mrs. A. J. Campbell and Miss Jessie Browneller were elected alternates.

The annual state D. A. R. congress will be held in Kansas City March 10 and 11 and Mrs. Leach and Miss Nina Harris were elected delegates and Mrs. Olive Penquite, Miss Harriet P. Guild, Mrs. H. E. Lindstrom and Miss Jessie Blair, alternates. Miss Lelia Shortridge, state chairman of the Junior American Citizenship clubs will also attend the Kansas City congress.

Miss Alice Harris, of Walton, N. Y., and Mrs. A. A. Abbot of Platte City, were presented as guests.

Miss Lura McCluney, speaker of the day, gave a colorful address on American Humor, as revealed in its almanacs, joke books,

Doctor Will Be Sorosis Speaker

Dr. E. H. Hashinger, professor of medicine at the University of Kansas, will speak on "Sulfanilimide and Similar Drugs" at 2:30 o'clock Monday afternoon at the Sorosis meeting at the Heard Memorial clubhouse.

Dr. Hashinger gave the same talk before the Women's City club at Kansas City several months ago. Sulfanilimide is the outstanding new drug discovery that has effected changes in the treatment of a number of diseases.

In addition to his work at the University of Kansas hospitals, Dr. Hashinger is engaged in private practice in Kansas City. A classmate of Dr. A. L. Walter of Sedalia, he is a graduate of the Washington university medical school at St. Louis.

Mrs. A. L. Walter, chairman of the Civics department of Sorosis, is in charge of the program.

Dr. Hashinger will deliver an address at the Rotary meeting here Monday noon.

stage presentations, newspapers and periodicals, movies, radio, outstanding personalities and finally in its great literary figures. All of these agencies, she said, have made Americans aware of their native material and American's unique art.

Miss McCluney spoke of the fondness of Americans for the joke, how they take the greatest possible amusement out of every situation and reflect happiness to every one they meet. This trait, the speaker said, more than any other, differentiates Americans from other nations.

Miss McCluney's presentation of the interesting subject was most scholarly compiled and charmingly given and she was complimented by all and appreciation was expressed for her care and study in the presentation of so fine an American study. This was the first of two addresses Miss McCluney will give for the chapter, her second to be on the same subject, illustrated by music and recitation. It promises to be equally interesting and will be given at the March meeting of Osage chapter.

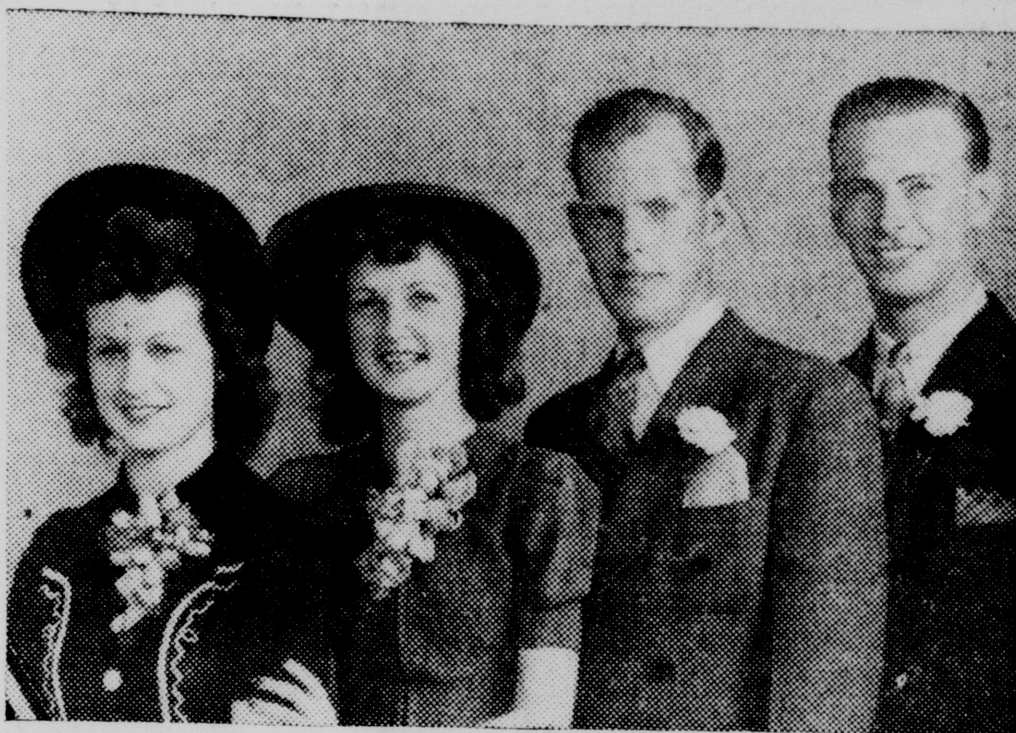
Transfer Is Given To Albert K. Downs

Albert K. Downs, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Downs, 716 West Seventh street, who has been at Fort Leonard Wood in the Engineers Training Center, has been transferred to Ft. Belvoir, Va., to the Engineers Specialist school.

Private Downs will take a special course in chemical water purification.

Ft. Belvoir is near Washington, D. C.

Pace-Martin Wedding Party



Miss Sarah Ellen Martin, Mrs. M. R. Pace, M. R. Pace and Gene Hayer

Miss Emma Fynn Martin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Martin, of 1621 East Sixth street, became the bride of Mordaunt R. Pace, at a single ring ceremony, at the bride's home, at 8 o'clock Saturday night, January 17.

The bride wore a blue crepe dress with accessories to match and a corsage of pink rose buds. She was attended by her sister, Miss Sarah Ellen Martin, who wore a black crepe dress with

matching accessories, and a corsage of talisman roses.

Gene Hayer was best man, and witnessing the ceremony were the bride's parents and her brother, L. A. Martin, Jr.

The bride's uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Merle Allcorn and daughter, Eva Ruth, honored the couple at a dinner Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Pace are at home at 1115 East Sixth street. Mr. Pace is employed at the Missouri Pacific shops.

Parents of Daughter

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Snyder, of Fort Worth, Texas, are parents of a daughter, Mary Margaret, born in Fort Worth, Friday morning, January 23. She is their second child, both girls.

The new baby is a granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Snyder, 302 West Sixth street.

Church Events

The Willing Toilers Sunday School class of the Epworth Methodist church will meet at 7:30 o'clock Monday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Graham, 618 East Tenth street.

The W. S. C. class of the First Baptist church met at the home of Miss Ruth Colvin, 508 West Third street, Tuesday evening. Miss Colvin, the president, was in charge of the business session. Mrs. Dan Carr gave the devotional, the topic being "The Secrets of a Happy New Year."

The following officers were elected for the New Year, President, Lola Arbogast; 1st vice-president, Lima Crole; second vice-president, Maurine Wetzel; secretary, Blanche Faust; group captains, Naomi Maddox and Ruth Colvin.

After the drawing of names of

St. Martha's Guild of Calvary Episcopal church will meet at 2:30 o'clock Tuesday afternoon, at the home of Mrs. John W. Carlisle, 1019 West Sixth street.

Noted Dancer A Guest Soloist

Barton Mumaw, a former principal soloist for Ted Shawn and his company and now considered one of the best young male dancers in America, will be presented by the Sedalia Symphony orchestra at its concert on Thursday night, February 26.

Mumaw is known to audiences through seven seasons with Shawn and his group, who toured the United States, Canada and Cuba.

His program has a wide range of material and promises to be one of the most unusual attractions offered here in connection with the concert series.

Couple Honored at Party



Left to right, Mrs. Harry J. Cooney, Mr. Cooney, and J. F. Downs. The last named has just presented Mr. Cooney with a Waltham watch and Mrs. Cooney with a bouquet of flowers, on behalf of a number of Missouri Pacific employees and other friends at a party last night. Mr. Cooney is leaving the railroad company, where he has held the position of claim agent, to become director of public relations for the Missouri Wholesale Liquor dealers. The party given in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Cooney on the second floor of the Missouri Pacific station.

Places Schools Into First Line For Defense

Dr. Carpenter In Address Given Before Teachers

Dr. W. W. Carpenter, professor of education at the University of Missouri, addressing members of the Sedalia Community Teachers Association, at the Smith-Cotton high school Saturday morning, opened his talk by emphasizing the impression war makes on children, and the force of public pressure in war times. He referred to a quotation from Charles Beard, "After the revolutionary war our forefathers were searching for the ways and means to insure the perpetuity of nations so concerned."

Dr. Carpenter said there are three fundamental ways to perpetuate democracy, 1st religion, 2nd morality, and 3rd knowledge, and he explained that there is a difference between knowledge and he explained that there is a difference between knowledge and education.

The problems of education, he brought out, should have the thought of the masses of the people, and the boys and girls of today, who will be the men and women of tomorrow, should not be deprived of their education. Only 43 per cent of the pupils who reach the fifth grade go through high school, he said, one-third of that group never get to college, and one-half of those who do go to college do not return the second year.

Schools Defense Line

The American schools are the first line of defense, said the speaker, and communities must realize this, for education is the torch of tomorrow, and the teacher is the torch bearer.

Dr. Carpenter was introduced by the program chairman, Miss Mary Helen Meyer, and at the conclusion of his talk he was applauded greatly, because his very timely and worthwhile talk was of unusual interest to his hearers. The meeting was opened by Miss Hazel Gray, association president, and after the reading of the two previous minutes, by Miss Mary Vance, routine matters were disposed of.

Miss Edna Givens, of Mark Twain school, played two violin numbers, "Canto Amoroso," arranged by Mischa Elman, and "Adagio" by Bizet. Miss Geraldine Teufel accompanied Miss Givens.

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One Sedalia gentleman was cornered Saturday by girls of the Spiz club who were selling tickets to the President's Ball, Friday night, at convention hall. In the picture are, left to right, Miss Betty Anton, Miss Davie Jean Hatfield, Robert Q. Henderson, Mary Jane Allison, Miss Ruth Wasson and Miss Mary Rogers.

Board Of B. and P. W. Club In Sessions Here

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emphasized to her audience the value of community groups and civic organizations, as channels for service and patriotism. "The federation is an expression of our common vision. Federation activity now is our pledge of faith in the future. It is our way of looking ahead; it is our way of being ready for present tasks and future demands."

"Don't stay home glued to the radio or nursing headline headaches. We need our meetings for perspective. Get together for discussion, for the exchange of ideas, for information that will destroy ugly rumors. Of course a simplified schedule is in order, one that will permit of increased defense activities and greater participation in community welfare. But avoid the emergency mood. Don't give up time-tested club activities that strengthen the home front. Don't waste yourself with scattered, poorly planned, efforts; your war efforts should be balanced with a sensible allocation of time and strength."

"We must continue to work, to study together. Never has there been a greater need for community esprit de corps; we must keep fellowship up and fear down. We must not pull down the blinds intellectually, rather, must there be more intellectual teamwork if you are to pit our thinking and our national judgment successfully against the enemies of democracy. Every citizen must become more active in the job of lobbying for democracy; individually we must become more responsibly democratic."

Health Program Adopted

During the Saturday afternoon session Miss Virginia Botts, of Mexico, state health chairman, recommended the adoption by the board of a wartime health program for business and professional women, which was unanimously adopted. It is:

"I Have a health examination to be sure you are physically pre-

pared to do all of the things you want to do in the war effort."

"2. Take sufficient rest, so that you wake up refreshed and finish your day's work without being completely exhausted. The amount of sleep required depends upon one's temperament."

"3. Learn the basic principles of a balanced diet. Check your menus to see whether the food you eat meets the requirements. Don't diet unless your doctor prescribes it."

"4. Budget your activities. Practically every individual will find that the present job is requiring increased efforts related to the war program, and additional demands are being made. Therefore, see that first things come first."

"5. Make time and opportunity for recreation. Outdoor exercise is desirable, but some women take too strenuous exercise over the week-end, and are tired out the rest of the week. Daily exercise is to be preferred."

"6. Realize that your job, however small, is probably a necessary cog in the American program, and be satisfied to fill that place. Do your job better than ever before. Women are not justified in taking on increased activities that sacrifice their energy. Women, as well as men, must be prepared to face a long war and the efforts that must be made to develop a peace program."

"7. Take time to laugh. Remember that everyone, man or woman, is facing the same problems. No one is alone. A cheerful frame of mind helps everyone else to bear his burden. Simplify your way of living and devote your surplus energy to your family, your community and your country."

"8. A mental hygiene program is most important to the war effort. Cease your apprehensions and curb your feeling of insecurity. Be willing to face the hard task ahead of your country, realizing that you have an important place, and that you cannot do it all. Do your best on your own job and stop worrying."

Indiana had a tuberculosis death rate of 40 per 100,000 population during 1939.

Lincoln

(By May Messersmith)

Mr. and Mrs. Erwin Lutjig and Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Heerman were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest J. Heerman, at Warsaw, on last Friday evening. Other guests were also present to enjoy the occasion, which was in honor of Mr. Heerman's birthday anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Berry and son, Milan, of Cole Camp, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey T. Berry last Sunday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Lowery left last Wednesday for their home in St. Louis, following a visit here with Mrs. Lowery's sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. J. Harry Stober and with relatives and friends elsewhere.

Miss Edna Wischmeier, employed in Iowa, arrived here last Friday for a visit with her mother, Mrs. Katie Wischmeier. On Saturday Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Lumpe and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Wischmeier were guests in the home of Mrs. Wischmeier.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard V. Owens and daughters had as their guests last Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Owens, Mrs. Owens' parents and his grandmother, Mrs. M. A. Johnson, all of Weaubleau, Mo.

Mr. and Mrs. Truman Henry and son, Dale, of Holden visited here with his mother Mrs. Hettie L. Henry and Mrs. M. J. Henry, last Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. George E. Stanfield and Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Huff and daughter, Margie, were guests at a dinner in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hanes and Betty last Sunday, honoring the birthday anniversaries of Mrs. Stanfield, Mrs. Huff and Miss Margie Huff.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark Henry and two children went to Holden last Saturday, where they visited until Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Truman Henry and son and Mr. and Mrs. Raeburn Henry and son.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville R. Peterson, of Clinton, spent Saturday night and Sunday here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Swearingin.

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Boring and family moved Wednesday from the residence property recently purchased by Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Eckhoff to the property owned by Mrs. Katie Wischmeier, near the school house.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Swearingin and Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Neas and daughters are moving to Warsaw the first of the week. Both men are employed by the state highway department and the move was made necessary due to tire conservation.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Labahn of Odessa, Mo., were guests here Saturday night and Sunday in the home of Mrs. Labahn's mother, Mrs. S. O. Stratton and Dr. Stratton. They were supper guests Sunday evening and spent the night in the home of Mr. Labahn's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Labahn.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Riddle and two daughters, Nedra Ty and Anita Del, all of St. Louis, spent Sunday here with Mrs. Riddle's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter L. White, Sr., and family. Mrs. Wayne Martin and her brother, Paul White, both of Kansas City, were weekend guests in the White home.

Miss Marie Eaton and Edwin Frederick Kreissler, both of Lincoln, were married last Friday at 2 o'clock p. m., by the Rev. J. W. Watts, at the manse.

Harold Kelb is at home on a 10-day furlough for a visit with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Kelb and family, of Springfield; Harold Kelb of Fort Riley and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Fischer and family were dinner guests last Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Kelb and sons. Mr. and Mrs. Roy McCubbin and daughter were afternoon callers.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Neal have purchased the farm southeast of town, which was a part of the estate of the late Fred Gerken.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Meier left last Thursday for Tulsa, Okla., where they will be located for some time. They had been here

Horace Mann PTA, Program With Music

Talks Presented During Night Meeting Held

The Horace Mann Parent Teacher Association held its regular night meeting Friday at 7:30 o'clock.

Rev. J. Fred King, pastor of the Fourth Street Methodist church gave the devotional the subject of which was "Building An Arch."

The music department under the direction of Miss Geraldine Teufel music teacher, presented an excellent program which was as follows:

I. Sunday Afternoon, Robert Leland, orchestra.

II. Morning Song, Folk Song, Lullaby Moon, Brown, girl's choir.

III. Czech Dance Song, Folk Song, Show Me My Task, Wooster-Sticklers Boys Choir.

IV. Three Blind Mice, Arr. by Krone, Proyer, Humperdinck. We'll Always Remember Pearl Harbor. (Solo)—Audrey Cramer Quartet—Patricia Griswold, Bobby Harrison, Wayne Rucker, Keith Harris.

V. America, mixed chorus. Orchestra, 1st Violins: James Palmer, Donnie Rae Harrison, Alma Hall, Mary Ann Albers, Donald Elliott, Irene Stuart; Clarinets: Wayne Rucker, Venelle Winston, Billy Schwenk; Elizabeth Strain, Billy Buhlig; Paul Sheridan, Norman Fabra; 2nd Violins: James Kreisel, Marjorie Shipp, Ellen Wood, Betty Gamber; Piano, Audrey Cramer; Saxophone, Bobby Harrison; Trumpet, Keith Harris.

Girl's Choir, Margie Ghosen, Audrey Cramer, Dorothy Mae Sheffield, Patricia Griswold, Eva Mae Wheatley, Elizabeth Strain, Lucille Aldridge, Nora Mae Witte, Beatrice Kagar, Doris Michael, Susan Spieler, Ima Fay, Burton, Mary Lou Witte. Accompanist—Miss Logan.

Boy's Choir, Carl Whiteman, Billy Hilton, Charles Woodson, Dwight Cramer, Albert Shoe, James Palmer, Walter DeKheimer, Leonard McNeal, Junior Hill, Arthur Spragins, Ledruce Hilton, Bobbie Harrison, Keith Harris, Dale Cramer, Eugene Whiteman, Wayne Rucker. Accompanist—Audrey Cramer.

George H. Scruton, editor of The Sedalia Democrat-Capital made a talk on "Recreational Facilities For The Family."

Venelle Winston and Wayne Rucker spoke on "What I Like To Do With My Family."

Archias Issues 1942 Catalogue

Beginning their 58th year in business, the Archias Seed Store Corporation this week is distributing throughout Missouri and distant points their annual Seed Catalogue. It is abundant with black and white and color illustrations and descriptive matter about seeds, grains, grasses, fruits, flowers, shrubs, nursery stock, etc.

Archias' catalogue has become an annual institution, looked forward to by city and farmer purchasers of the products handled by this firm.

On the introductory page is a contour map of Missouri showing major highways and feeders leading to Sedalia. Members of this company have always been civic-minded and believe in advertising the community in their own literature that goes broadcast throughout the state and beyond its borders. "Come to Sedalia. Thousands of our customers find it more convenient and satisfying to drive to Sedalia and do their garden and farm shopping right in our big seed store," reads the text under the map. "Missouri's fine highways lead to Sedalia. We are centrally located, easily accessible. Our town is not so large that parking is difficult and Sedalia folks are genuinely hospitable and anxious to serve you."

The South African aardvark, one of the last animals you'll ever think of, is always the first in the dictionary.

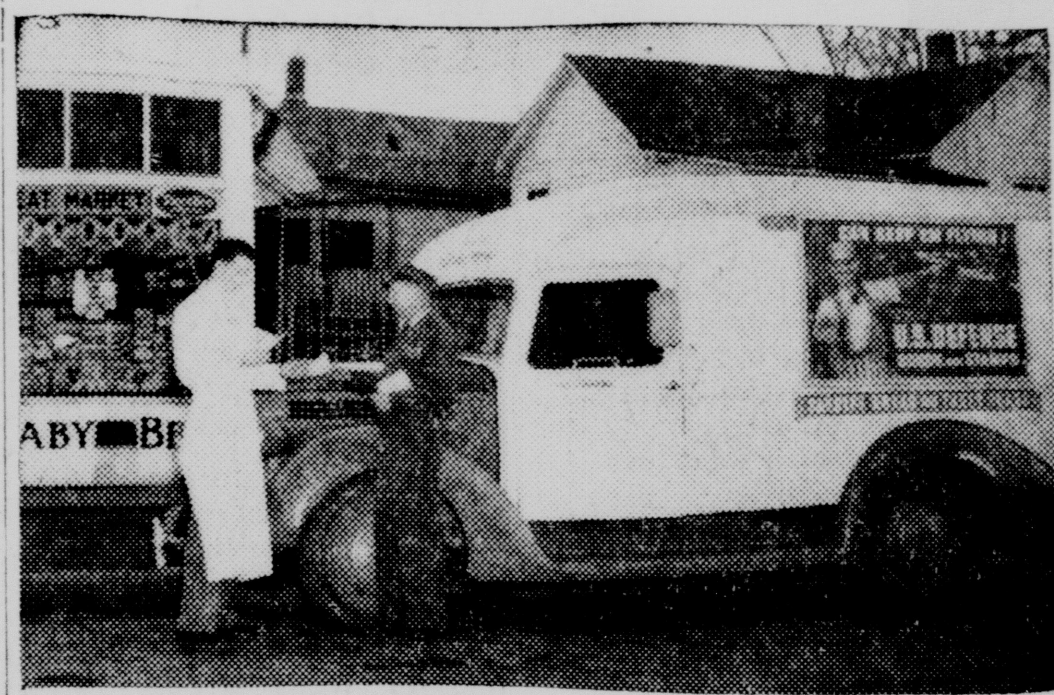
Hot Springs National Park, persons in 39,066 private automobiles during the 1940 season.

In Germany, bats are called "fledermause," meaning "flying mice."

since before Christmas visiting Mr. Meier's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Meier, and his sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Walter L. White, Jr.

Silas Yount of the Edmonson neighborhood, passed away at the home of his son, Harvey Yount, on Monday of this week and his funeral services were held on Wednesday afternoon. Another resident of the same neighborhood, Fred Frisch, passed away at his home on Wednesday and his funeral services were held on Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wolfe, of Kansas City, visited Thursday evening in the G. W. Wolfe home and Mr. Wolfe's mother, Mrs. Agnes Wolfe, accompanied to



Taystee Bread salesmen do double duty nowadays. To help Uncle Sam they have volunteered and are selling defense stamps. Taystee salesman Robertson is shown above making a sale to Virgil Carson, Sedalia grocer.

Red Cross Furthers Plans On Nurse's Aid Corps

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services in teaching such classes.

Information received by Mrs. Kahn is to the effect that certain phases of Red Cross work can only be done by these persons who have registered under the civilian defense program, and she therefore asks all her workers to register.

The registration will be continued through Monday thus giving those who were unable to register Thursday, Friday or Saturday, to volunteer and fill out their card.

Motor Corps Meets
The Pettis county motor corps held its first lesson in motor mechanics Thursday night at Smith-Cotton high school, with Pinkney Miller, vocational coordinator at the high school instructing the class.

Among the preparedness measures being taken by the Pettis county Red Cross chapter is the training of additional hundreds in first aid.

The members of the Ladies Auxiliary of the American Legion who completed the standard course in first aid will continue and take the advance courses under the direction of Mrs. Garnett Bulkley twice a week.

Board Meeting

The monthly meeting of the Red Cross board was held Wednesday at Hotel Bothwell, and the executive board was reelected by proclamation.

Members of the executive body are Philip McLaughlin, chairman; Mrs. Arthur Kahn, vice chairman; Joe Reid, secretary, and J. T. Montgomery, chairman of the home service; Miss Rosemary Burrows, publicity chairman. Mrs. Robert Spencer is the executive secretary.

Attending the board meeting were Mr. McLaughlin, Mrs. Kahn,

Mrs. C. A. Wright, Miss Nettie Lamm, A. H. Wilks, Mrs. A. S. Wright, Miss Agnes Quin, Mrs. R. F. Rohn, Mrs. Harold Dean, Miss Ruth Ann Slane, Roy Taylor Longwood, Mrs. H. A. Hite, Green Ridge and Mrs. H. L. Hill, Smith-ton.

New members of the board are A. H. Wilks and Mrs. Willard Dean.

Financial Reports Given
Two financial reports on the Red Cross campaigns, which were so successfully conducted, were given by Mr. Wilks.

Additional redecorating is being done at the Red Cross headquarters, 125½ South Ohio avenue and the effectiveness of the changes are due to the untiring efforts of the secretary and her assistants.

Materials for garments for war relief have not yet arrived but are expected shortly.

Pettis Players

Members of the Pettis Players and their guests will meet Monday night at the home of John Z. Montgomery, 711 West Sixth street, at which time the study committee will direct the second session of the studies in diction. A report will be heard of the plays which were recently given for Sorosis and Musical Moments clubs. Reading of plays and other entertainment has been planned for the evening.

Lodge Notices

Sedalia Chapter No. 57 O. E. S. will meet in regular session Tuesday evening, Jan. 27 at 7:30 o'clock. Visiting members welcome. Election of officers to fill vacancies.

Hazel Palmer, W. M. May Highleyman, Sec'y.

McKinley Day Program Jan. 29

The Pettis County Republican committee has completed final arrangements for the sixteenth annual memorial program to be held at 7:30 o'clock, Thursday evening, Jan. 29, in the circuit court room of the Pettis county court house, in honor of William McKinley.

The eulogy will be delivered by Charles E. Rendlen of Hannibal, Mr. Rendlen is a lawyer and was a member of the resolutions committee at the national Republican convention in Philadelphia.

E. W. Baker, of the program committee, announces that he has received letters from the following: Ira A. Jones, Jefferson City; Clifford Hayes, Springfield; T. Victor Jefferies, Hannibal; Fred Stueck, W. G. Henderson, Orville Taylor and Robert Conn of Jefferson City; E. J. Ketter, Moberly and George W. Davies of Osceola.

F. A. Boyesen, chairman of rural attendance committee, reports that there will be a large attendance from the county.

Guy Peabody, chairman of the program committee, announces the following prelude to the program: Trumpet Solo—"Star Spangled Banner" by Bob Ruethin.

Song—"God Bless America," trumpet accompaniment, led by Ralph Guenther.

Invocation—Rev. J. Fred King. Song—"America,"—Introduction of Toastmaster, Senator George H. Miller, who will introduce the speaker.

"Lamb's quarters," a plant of the goosefoot family, also is known as "fat hen" and "pig-weed."

MISS BETTY WILLOWS OF RICHMOND, MO. SAYS:



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Cheese	Longhorn	lb.		27¢
Post Toasties	2-large	boxes		19¢
Grapefruit	Texas	10		19¢
Butter	Creamery	lb.		36¢
Lily Oleo		2		33¢
Flour	My Lady	24-lb.		77¢
Bread	White or whole	3		25¢
Oranges	California Sunkist	288 size	2 doz.	35¢
Pork Chops	Small lean	Fresh	lb.	24¢
Smoked	Bacon	Squares	lb.	18¢
Purex	Quart bottle			14¢
Shinola	Shoe Paste	2 boxes		15¢
Argo	Corn	3-lb.		19¢
MACARONI	or Spaghetti—American	Beauty—2 boxes		15¢
Hy-Power	Chili Con Carne	2—10½-oz. cans		21¢
Salad Dressing	Lee	24-oz.		29¢
Wheat Flakes	2 large	Lee—boxes		19¢
Salmon	Cadet	2		47¢
Salmon	Pink	cans		
Salmon	Lee—Red	Tall can		39¢

Lee Spaghetti, 20-oz. can	3	
Tomatoes, No. 2 size can	3	
Hominy, No. 2½ size can	3	
Lee Red Beans, No. 2 can	3	
Corn, No. 2 size can	3	
Kraut, No. 2 size can	3	
Peaches	Lee Extra Fancy—in heavy	3
Cherries	Lee Royal Ann	3
Head Lettuce	2	
Lee	Boysenberries or Logan Berries	3
Swan Soap	3 Large Bars	29¢
SPRY	3 lbs.	69¢
Sunsweet	Prune Juice	Quart 25¢
Grape Juice	Lee	Qt. 39¢
Orange Juice	large	can 23¢
Brick Chili		each 17¢
Sugar	5	lbs. 31¢
Fresh Milk		Quart 9¢
Sweet Potatoes	10	lbs. 25¢
Pork Liver	Fresh	2 lbs. 31¢
Pure Lard		2 lbs. 25¢
Apple Butter		Qt. 14¢

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To Form Labor War Board

Committees Of The AFL, And Of CIO Appointed

WASHINGTON, Jan. 24.—(P)—President William Green of the AFL wrote President Roosevelt today that he was appointing a committee of three to serve with a CIO committee as 'a' combined labor war board.

Such a board, it has been reported, was suggested by the White House to settle jurisdictional disputes between the rival labor organizations for the duration of the war.

The text of Green's letter: "I am pleased to respond to your request that I appoint a committee representing the American Federation of Labor to serve with a committee appointed by President Murray of the Congress of Industrial Organizations as a combined labor war board as set forth in your letter dated January 22.

"Inasmuch as you requested the appointment of a small committee, I submit the following names of three representatives of the American Federation of Labor to serve on said committee:

"William Green, president; George Meany, secretary-treasurer; Daniel J. Tobin, sixth vice president, American Federation of Labor.

"The members of this committee will be prepared to meet with you at your call and at your convenience."

Three From CIO

NEW YORK, Jan. 24.—(P)—The CIO executive council today appointed a three-man committee headed by Philip Murray, CIO president, to confer with a like committee from the American Federation of Labor on a labor war board suggested by the White House.

Named to serve with Murray were R. J. Thomas of the United Automobile Workers and Julius Emspak of the United Electrical Radio and Machine Workers.

Murray suggested that the committee be called "labor's victory board."

President Roosevelt would be the seventh member of the board, which was suggested to settle jurisdictional disputes between the rival labor organizations for the duration of the war.

Command At Pearl Harbor Before An Attack 'Derelict'

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measures of defense required by the imminence of hostilities."

Lack of Interest Indicated

"The attitude of each, that he was not required to inform himself of, and his lack of interest in, the measures undertaken by the other to carry out the responsibility assigned to such other under the provisions of the plans then in effect demonstrated," the report said, "on the part of each a lack of appreciation of the responsibilities vested in them and inherent in their positions as Commander-in-chief Pacific fleet, and Commander of Hawaiian Department."

At the time of Japan's surprise raid, Kimmel was both Commander-in-chief of the United States fleet and Commander of the Pacific fleet.

Subsequently, Rear Admiral Ernest J. King, who was commanding the Atlantic fleet, was named commander-in-chief of the entire fleet, and Rear Admiral Chester W. Nimitz, at the time chief of the navy's Bureau of Navigation, was appointed commander of the Pacific fleet.

Short was relieved and in his place President Roosevelt put Lieutenant General Delos C. Emsmons, who was then chief of the air force combat command.

Warned On Hostilities

The investigating board, which spent 20 days on Hawaii looking into the surprise onslaught and fixing responsibility, noted that on November 27, ten days before the Japanese attack, the chief of military intelligence advised army officials in Hawaii that peace negotiations with Japan "had practically ceased, that hostilities might ensue and that subversive activity might be expected."

On the same day, the chief of naval operations, Admiral Harold R. Stark, messaged Kimmel that Japan was expected to make an aggressive move within a few days.

Stark's warning to Kimmel said an amphibious expedition was indicated against the Philippines, Thai, the Kra peninsula, or possibly Borneo.

Were Too Complacent

There were subsequent warnings in the next few days but the board said that these messages "did not create in the minds of the responsible officers in the Hawaiian area apprehension as to probable imminence of air raids."

It added: "On the contrary they only served to emphasize in their minds the danger from sabotage and surprise submarine attack. The necessity for taking a state of war readiness which would have been required to avert or

meet an air attack was not considered."

General Short, Rear Admiral Kimmel, the commandant of the 14th Naval District, Rear Admiral C. C. Bloch, their senior subordinates and principal staff officers had considered the possibility of air raids, the Roberts commission found, but "without exception they believed that the chances of such a raid while the Pacific fleet was based at Pearl Harbor were practically nil."

The attack on December 7, the commission said, "was therefore a complete surprise to each of them."

Some Discount To Rumors

The Roberts report, apparently taking note of rumors that a large portion of the army and navy personnel in Hawaii had been on weekend leave at the time the attack began, said officers and enlisted men of both services were present in sufficient numbers and were in fit condition to perform any duty. It added that the use of liquor on the evening before, except for a negligible number, did not affect their efficiency.

It is true, the report asserted, that there was a deficiency in material for the Hawaiian area because of the enormous demand on the nation's munitions and war supplies. But this deficiency, the commission declared, "did not affect the critical fact of failure to take appropriate measures with the means available."

Secretaries Hull, Knox and Stimson, the heads of the State, Navy and War Departments, respectively, together with Admiral Stark, and the army chief of staff, General George C. Marshall were said to have fulfilled their obligations.

Readily Responded

Both officers and men responded immediately when the attack began, the commission said, and exhibited "initiative, efficiency and bravery in meeting the raid."

But the army and navy commanders, the commission said, had failed to make "suitable dispositions" to meet an attack and had "tailed properly to evaluate the seriousness of the situation."

"These errors of judgment,"

Roberts and his four associates declared, "were the effective causes for the success of the attack."

The U. S. S. Antares sighted a suspicious object off Pearl Harbor at 6:30 a. m. the day of the attack, the report continued, and this was identified as a small submarine, which was sunk by action of a naval patrol plane and the U. S. S. Ward. A report of this action reached the naval base officer at 7:12 a. m. and he notified his chief of staff, but no alert warnings were issued, the commission asserted. Forty-three minutes later, at 7:55 a. m., the onslaught on Pearl Harbor began.

A second small Japanese submarine was sunk in the harbor after the attack started, and a third grounded and captured.

Prior to December 7, the commission said, an anti-torpedo net across Pearl Harbor was closed only during hours of darkness on the theory that nearby vessels would detect any submarine approaching in daylight hours. Probably, the report said, a submarine entered around 7 a. m. the day of the attack.

An estimated 150 to 200 fighting, bombing, and torpedo planes were used against Pearl Harbor and nearby army stations, the commission said. It credited torpedoes launched from planes with most of the damage to ships in the harbor.

Permanent installation of aircraft warning systems had not been completed on December 7, the commission said, but some temporary installations had been made and General Short had ordered them manned daily from 4 to 7 a. m.

Assumed Planes Friendly

The system shut down at 7 on the fateful Sunday but a non-commissioned officer who had been training was given permission to remain at one station and at 7:02, the board said, he discovered what he thought was "a large flight of planes" slightly east of north of Oahu and about 130 miles away.

This was reported to an army lieutenant at a central information center 18 minutes later, the report went on.

But it added that the lieutenant, who had been detailed there to familiarize himself with the system, assumed the planes were friendly and took no action since he had information that certain United States aircraft might be in the vicinity at the time.

The board said there was sufficient partially trained personnel available on November 27 to operate the warning system 24 hours a day. Admiral Kimmel, it said, assumed the system was being fully operated by the army, but had made no inquiry to confirm it despite receipt of the warning messages from Washington.

Under a Joint Coastal Frontier

defense plan the navy was to conduct air reconnaissance radiating 700 to 800 miles from Oahu, once the plan became effective, the board said. No such flights were made prior to December 7, however, except during drills and maneuvers, the board continued.

General Short, it said, assumed the navy was carrying out the plan but he also made no inquiry about it after seeing the messages from Washington.

Ships And Planes Of Japanese Are Destroyed

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bombers was shot down and four of their protecting fighters were sent plummeting in flames toward the rice paddies about the city.

Yesterday the combined fighter force of the RAF and the AVG—American Volunteer Group of former U. S. Army and Navy pilots—knocked down 21 out of more than 60 raiders.

All the United nations' flyers got back to base in safety today. Two were lost yesterday, one an American.

By contrast the Japanese bombers today apparently lost every man of their 5-man crews. None was seen to escape by parachute.

Their fighter escorts failed miserably to protect them from the savage allied attacks.

Tonight's army communique said the fighting position in south Burma was unchanged. Observers here believed the British defenders were exacting a stiff price from the Japanese and Thai (Siamese) invaders for any ground lost, making sure at the same time that when the present phase is over they will be able to engage the enemy under circumstances best suited for counter-attack.

Moulmein, within 26 miles of the fighting as it last was reported, now is almost a ghost city, many of its 70,000 European, Indian and Burmese inhabitants having been evacuated.

Hold Aerial Supremacy

BATAVIA, N. E. I., January 24.—(AP)—Dutch bombers maintaining aerial supremacy over the Strait of Macassar upset a great Japanese invasion liner and scored clean hits on a destroyer and another transport today in their second assault in two days on the enemy's southbound expeditionary fliers.

They brought their two-day score to 11 warships, transports or supply ships bombed with direct hits—a grave blow to the Japanese naval forces which are bent on extending their line of invasion footholds southward along the coasts of Borneo and Celebes and thence to Java, heart of the Indies.

Club Meets At Haggard Home

Mrs. Earl Borchers and Mrs. L. H. Haggard entertained the Quisenberry Homemakers' club at the Haggard home on Wednesday, January 21.

The morning session in charge of the new president, Mrs. R. S. Haggard, was devoted to program planning for 1942.

At the noon hour a turkey dinner was served by the hostesses to a goodly number of members and guests.

The Standard of Achievement for 1942 was discussed at length in the afternoon session and plans formulated for an interesting program for the year's work.

Year books were filled out and project leaders appointed by the president. Descriptive literature on U. S. Savings Bonds was distributed by the secretary, Mrs. P. S. Read.

The Vesper Hymn, the new club song was sung and the session was dismissed to meet with Mrs. Paul Read in February.

Mrs. Ora E. DeHaven, of the Bowling Green club, Mrs. G. D. Farris and Mrs. E. Borchers were guests of the club.

Rationing On Sugar Ahead

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til the formal rationing system is instituted, every user of sugar can help the government by restricting his purchases of sugar to minimum current requirements. Retailers during this period in many cases may be expected to restrict the amount of sugar which can be purchased by any one consumer.

In connection with restriction of sales by retailers, the Justice department had announced earlier that stores requiring consumers to buy a certain amount of other groceries in order to get sugar were liable to prosecution under anti-trust laws. A department official said penalties up to \$5,000 fine, a year's imprisonment or both were possible.

Cut Consumption

While the rationing to householders will be on the basis of about one pound a week per person, it is expected that arrangements will be made so that housewives can buy large quantities at longer intervals. The overall goal is to reduce consumption from an average of 74 pounds per capita in 1941 to 50 pounds in 1942.

Supplies also will be rationed to commercial users. Industrial sugar consumption, averaging 40 pounds per capita in 1941 will be reduced to 27 pounds this year.

Warplanes Soon Be Sent Uruguay

MONTEVIDEO, Uruguay, Jan. 24.—(AP)—Warplanes and anti-aircraft guns soon will be en route to Uruguay from the United States as the first shipment under the recent \$17,000,000 lend-lease allocation, President Alfredo Baldomir disclosed today.

Last Ditch Defenses of Singapore



Some of the world's biggest long-range guns and jungles as thick as any in Malaya guard the approaches to Singapore island. It is here that British forces may be able to make an indefinite stand if forced back entirely off the peninsula mainland in Johore by Jap invaders.

Uruguay And Peru In Break With The Axis

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Broken diplomatic relations: Colombia, Mexico, Peru, Uruguay, Venezuela.

Welles told the conference the compromise agreement was "of overwhelming importance" in securing hemisphere solidarity against the foes of democracy.

"For the first time in the history of hemisphere relations," he went on, "joint action of the highest importance has been taken with unanimity."

"There exists today a more real Pan-Americanism than ever before in the history of our hemisphere."

He said the agreement, recommending severance of relations with the axis, meant that their diplomatic and consular agents "will no longer be able to use territory within the western hemisphere as their bases of activities against us and our American allies."

"It is true that we have not all seen eye to eye as to the exact details of the agreement which has been reached," Welles conceded, "but the objectives which all of us had in mind have been completely attained and what is everlastingly important, the complete unity and solidarity of the 21 American republics has been preserved."

Referring to economic resolutions adopted by the conference, Welles said they had reached a degree of importance and immediacy not attained by previous conferences.

Measures will follow, he asserted, to alleviate any injuries to the economies of the American republics as a result of their anti-axis decision here.

Machinery will be set up in each country, he said, to determine import requirements and that export quotas would be fixed wherever possible.

"All these measures will tie in closely with the priority and allocations procedures already established in the United States," Welles explained.

It was announced the conference would end Wednesday, instead of Tuesday as previously planned.

The conference political committee deferred action today on the question of adherence to the Atlantic charter after the Argentine, Chilean, Bolivian and Brazilian delegations objected, chiefly on the ground that it was a declaration of two countries not including the Latin Americas.

Welles spoke in behalf of adherence but did not object to the postponement.

Marriage Licenses Issued

Gilbert F. Lupez and Bonnie J. Moore, both of Florence. Loren Oral Hoard and Dimple Bee Sands, both of Sedalia. Samuel S. Tyler and Etta Mae Stallard, both of Sedalia.

Ernest T. May, Jr. and Carrie E. Cook, both of Smithton. Herschel W. Hollingsworth and Florence J. Green, both of Marshall.

Theatre Joins In 'March Of Dimes'

The Fox theatre, of Sedalia, is one of more than 225 served from the Kansas City film center, co-operating in the national March of Dimes, January 22 to 29, to help fight Infantile Paralysis.

Beginning this afternoon, and every night through Friday, picture show goers will have an opportunity to contribute their dimes (more if they wish) to the fight against infantile paralysis, which last year alone claimed 26,000 victims.

Girl Scouts of troop 10 will be present at this afternoon and evening's performance at the Fox, and nightly through Friday, to receive the dimes. The girls are Evelyn Beach, Betty Barnett, Jo Ann Connelly, Dorothy Dean, Lydia Gerster, Winifred Griswold, Betty Ann Harrison, Betty Jean Leake, Virginia Lindstrom, Dorothy Sue Roe, Frankie June Rogers, Betty Howe, Helen Russell, Ruth Elaine Scruton, Aileen Snyder, Genevieve Sullivan, Betty Urban, Marian Wade, Dorothy Hedderich and Betty Musso.

The motion picture industry led all other agencies in collecting funds for the USO. It hopes to be the leader in the MARCH OF DIMES campaign.

The committee directing the drive in this territory is headed by E. C. Rhoden, of Fox Midwest Theatres, Kansas City.

Fifty per cent of all funds collected in this area will be returned from the national MARCH OF DIMES headquarters to Chairman Rhoden, to be turned over to the state chairman for use in infantile paralysis charities in this territory.

Warehouses packed with food and military supplies were reported captured. At recaptured Andreapol alone it said large stores of French wine, 1,000 freight cars laden with war supplies were taken.

Personals

Mrs. Will Couey, of Trinidad, Colo., is the guest of her brother-in-law and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Couey and family. She will return to her home this week. Mrs. Couey is on her way home from Connecticut, where she has been the guest of her son, Frederick Couey, a teacher in the University of Connecticut, who formerly attended Westminster college, Fulton.

Miss Mary Ethel McGowan, who recently accepted a position at St. Charles, Mo., is home for the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. McGowan, of 1111 West Sixth street.

Letter Carriers To Install Officers

The local chapter of the National Association of Letter Carriers and their auxiliary will meet Monday night, January 26, at 7:30 p. m., in the V. F. W. hall. Refreshments will be served.

The chapter will install their officers for the coming year. The auxiliary will discuss specific Red Cross activities under their auspices.

On account of this important business it is hoped all members will attend, if possible.

Crack The Winter Line Of Hitler

MOSCOW, Jan. 24.—(P)—Russians declared tonight that Red armies beating the Germans back with ever-increasing momentum have cracked the northern anchor of Adolf Hitler's winter line, and cut deeply into his winter reserve supplies as well, in the farthest advance of a brilliant general offensive conceived and directed by Joseph Stalin himself.

With achievement of this stunning victory, which imperilled the Germans south of Leningrad and on the central fronts, the newspaper Pravda said the Russians now would concentrate on clearing the Nazis out of occupied southern areas between Kursk and Orel and at Smolensk, west of Moscow.

It took just over a month for the charging Soviet forces to cancel out some two-thirds of the invaders' gains between Moscow and Leningrad and send them reeling back to Kholm, only 120 miles from the Latvian border.

Furthermore, Pravda boasted that the Russians have regained up and down the entire front territory as large as England and Scotland put together.

In driving to Kholm Red forces were credited with drawing the Germans out of position by tricky feinting maneuvers, then smashing them one by one.

Not only was this northern anchor of the German line seized, but the Russians' found evidence in town after town that the Germans had stocked up for a winter stand, Izvestia declared.

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Basketball Results

- Kemper 49, St. Paul's 32.
- Rice 73 Baylor 35.
- Texas Christian 39 Southern Methodist 35.
- Colorado 59 Wyoming 53.
- Iowa Teachers 43 Omaha 35.
- Phillips U. 29 Northeastern (Okla.) State 22.
- Southeastern (Okla.) State 46 Southwestern (Okla.) Tech. 26.
- Missouri 45, Iowa State 41.
- Kansas 46, Kansas State 44 (overtime).
- Great Lakes 50, Nebraska 40.
- Wisconsin 42, Indiana 36.
- Notre Dame 52, Michigan State 49.
- Duke 60, Lake Forest 39.
- Warrensburg (Mo.) Teachers 24, Washburn University 28.
- Pennsylvania 37, Navy 32.
- Western Maryland 47, Washington 32.
- Providence 39, Manhattan College 39.
- Georgetown 44, Army 32.
- Michigan 53, Ohio State 39.
- Dayton 47, Cincinnati 39.
- Illinois 49, Minnesota 36.
- Georgia 63, Clemson 42.

Reds Go Over the Top as Mercury Goes Way Below



Ghost-like soldiers of the Red army leave their trenches and move into the face of a blizzard as they attack frost-bitten Germans in the Tula sector before Moscow.

• Obituaries

Arch B. Ragar

Arch B. Ragar, 65 years old, passed away at his home near Green Ridge Saturday morning at 11:00 o'clock following a lingering illness.

Mr. Ragar was born in the Green Ridge vicinity October 18, 1876 the son of the late George and Roxie Ragar. He has spent his entire life in the Green Ridge community.

He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Katie Ragar, three brothers, Aubrey Ragar and Garland Ragar, Green Ridge, Jess Ragar, Calhoun; one sister, Mrs. Rollie Mosley, Green Ridge, Mo. Three sisters and three brothers preceded him in death.

Funeral services will be held at the Hickory Point church at 2:30 Monday afternoon with the Rev. Blaylock officiating. Six nephews will serve as pallbearers. The flower girls will be nieces of Mr. Ragar. Interment will be in the family lot in the Hickory Point cemetery.

The body was taken to the Ewing Funeral Home and will be returned to the family home Sunday morning where it will remain until the hour of the service.

Ray S. Abbey

Ray S. Abbey, aged 59, died at his home two miles south of Housatonia Friday evening about 5:40 o'clock, death being due to a cerebral hemorrhage.

He was born in Marlett, Michigan, February 28, 1882. He was married to Miss Allie Marlin. These children survive: Mrs. Homer Signam of Smithton, Rose, Mary Jane, Belle, Samuel and Nathaniel Abbey all of the family home. Rev. Merle Abbey of Milwaukee, Wisconsin, and Mrs. Charlotte Westbrook of Phoenix, Arizona.

Funeral services will be held at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon in the Housatonia Baptist church with the Reverend Walter Clark officiating.

Pallbearers will be as follows: George Williams, Ray Schondelmaier, Riley Owens, Russell Wicker, D. H. Houchen and Clyde Stewart.

Music will be in charge of Mrs. Joe Williams.

Interment will be in the Housatonia cemetery. The body will be taken from the Westbrook funeral home to the family home at 9:30 o'clock this morning.

Funeral Of Roy P. Smith

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Page and daughter, Gail, Mrs. Leo Sullivan and daughter, Betty and Mrs. Lillian Fink returned Friday evening from Kansas City, having been called there Thursday morning by the death of Roy P. Smith, a brother-in-law of Mrs. Page. Mrs. Smith was formerly Miss Flossie Cone of Sedalia.

Funeral services were held at 9 o'clock Friday morning at St. Peter's church in Kansas City, and burial was in St. Peter's cemetery.

Mr. Smith is survived by his widow, one daughter, Carita and a son, Roy P. Smith, Jr.

Funeral Of George E. Coontz

Funeral services for George E. Coontz former well known Sedalian, who died at his home in Detroit, Michigan, last Wednesday due to a lingering illness, was held Saturday morning at 10:30 o'clock at the Gillespie Funeral Home, with the Reverend R. E. Hurd officiating.

Interment was in the Memorial cemetery.

A son Leland Coontz and family left Saturday afternoon for their home in Detroit. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Jack Voss of Sedalia who will remain for an extended visit.

Funeral Of Mrs. Bohm

Funeral services for Mrs. Martha Carolina Bohm, 75 years old, who passed away at the family home 1700 West Main street Friday morning, will be held at 2 o'clock Monday afternoon at the Gillespie Funeral Home. The Reverend R. W. Leazer, pastor of the First Baptist church, will officiate.

Pall bearers will be B. J. Bahner, Earl Paxton, Jack Granlasky, Arden Morrow, Edward Ison and Ray Hunt.

Interment will be in the Memorial Park cemetery.

Mrs. Bohm and her husband L. C. Bohm celebrated their Golden Wedding anniversary last March 9.

She resided in Sedalia for thirty years, before moving to Clarksburg, in 1923 when she and her family resided until 1940 when they returned to Sedalia and have since resided.

Surviving her besides her husband are the following children: Mrs. Lyte Neel, Mrs. Loreene Eschbacher, H. W. Bohm and Paul Bohm. A daughter passed away in infancy. Also surviving are five grandchildren Donald Bremer, Thomas Neel, William, Robert and James Eschbacher. Her sisters, Mrs. Arthur Odil, Boonville, Mrs. Millard Pennington, Jamestown, and Mrs. C. B. Runkle of Kerkhoven, Minnesota.

Negro Reports Slugging

James Smith, Negro, 212 North Mill street, reported to the police he was slugged and beaten at Main street and Kentucky avenue Saturday night. He was taken to the office of Dr. M. B. Weathers who gave him medical attention.

Canada spends \$135,000,000 annually on her public schools.

Grave Threat For Fighting Forces Of Gen. MacArthur

(Continued From Page One)

It was generally expected that he had a skillful trick or two left.

When it became impossible to defend Manila further, the general concentrated his troops on Batan peninsula, the tongue of land which separates Manila bay from the South China sea. Off the tip of the peninsula lies the strong American island fortress, Corregidor.

Many expected him, in the last eventuality on the mainland, to withdraw as many of his troops as possible to the island. It would be a difficult operation, with boatloads of men exposed to aircraft fire, particularly if the move were attempted by daylight. But at night, especially if helped by fog or storm, it could be done, military experts thought.

Superior Marksmanship

The entry of the Japanese warships into the Batan fighting was a new development, and may well have been a controlling factor. Throughout the fighting American artillery and the accuracy of American artillerymen have proved vastly superior to those of the Japs.

A fortnight ago, the enemy attempted to blast it out with big guns, and got unmercifully smashed for it. The warships were brought up, it was generally thought, to offset this one advantage of the American and Filipino forces.

"The department's communication said:

"Fresh Japanese troops are continuing heavy attacks on General MacArthur's troops in Batan peninsula. These attacks are particularly heavy on the left flank and are supported by the fire of hostile naval vessels and by aircraft."

"The enemy succeeded in taking a number of positions on the west coast. Pierce counterattacks by our troops expelled the Japanese from some of these points, but others remain in possession of the enemy. Heavy losses were suffered on both sides."

"Though fatigued from constant fighting, American and Filipino troops continue their stubborn resistance, contesting savagely every advance made by the enemy. Their enthusiasm, courage and devotion are undiminished."

Court House To Open Later

Beginning February 1, the offices in the court house will open at 8:30 o'clock in the morning instead of at 8 o'clock, at present.

The change was announced by the county court, after the members had received a request, written as follows:

"Whereas, the United States of America is at war, and;

• Otterville

(By Miss Cora Cordry)

Mr. and Mrs. Lucius Parker entertained with a turkey dinner Wednesday evening, the following friends: Mr. and Mrs. Norton Hefnerman, Sedalia; Mr. and Mrs. T. Edwin Wherley, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Repp. Bridge was played during the evening.

Don Blakesley has recently taken over the Sinclair service station, formerly owned by Clyde Manning.

Friends of Mrs. W. D. Ross, who is spending the winter in Gastonia, N. C., with her son, Paul, are glad to hear that she is improving from a recent paralytic stroke in which she lost her speech.

Miss Julia Miller, of Jefferson City, spent Sunday with her par-

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In the Matter of the Estate of John L. Kautzman, deceased.

No. 5641

NOTICE OF RESIGNATION

TO ALL PERSONS CONCERNED: take notice, that the undersigned, Frances C. Kautzman, Administratrix of the Estate of John L. Kautzman, late of said County, deceased, will at the February Term, 1942 of said Court, to be held in the Court House in the Town of Sedalia, the County seat of said County on the 9th day of February, 1942, apply to said court for leave to resign the office and trust of Administratrix of said Estate.

FRANCES C. KAUTZMAN, Administratrix of John L. Kautzman, Deceased.

Dated January 10, 1942.

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ents, Mr. and Mrs. Max Miller and other relatives.

Miss Jessie Reed, daughter of Emmet Reed and Chester Dornes, son of Mrs. Emma Dornes, were married in Sedalia, January 7, 1942, by Rev. Miller, pastor of the Primitive Lutheran church. The ceremony was witnessed by Mrs. Paul Miller and Miss Marion Ruth Miller. They will make their home for the present, with the groom's mother.

Raymond Hansen made a business trip to Kansas City Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Spencer, of Slater, spent Wednesday with Mrs. Clarice Howlett.

Mrs. C. A. Phillips, of New Franklin, visited Tuesday with her mother, Mrs. Fannie Brisley.

The La-fa-Lot club met Tuesday evening with Mrs. Durward Goode. The evening was spent in games and conversation after which refreshments were served.

Mrs. J. E. Galladay went to Higginsville Wednesday to visit with her mother, Mrs. Phillips. The Women's Missionary Society met at the Baptist church Thursday afternoon. The topic for discussion was "Whatever Things Are True." Was led by Miss Mary Homan.

Mr. and Mrs. Lucius Parker and children, Judith and Gerald, spent Sunday in Blackwater with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Moore.

Fred Taliferro, of Kansas City, came Saturday and was accompanied home by his mother, Mrs. Dora Taliferro, who will spend the remainder of the winter there.

Miss Anna Belle Reed, of C. M. S. T. C., in Warrensburg, spent the weekend with her mother, Mrs. Clyde Manning and Mr. Manning.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Leach spent Sunday at Jefferson City with Mrs. Leach's father, George McKenny.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Marcum spent the weekend at Fort Riley, Kas., with their son, Jake, who is in camp there. They were accompanied by Miss Mildred Rogers.

Mrs. Olive Belshi, of Jefferson City, state warden of the Rebekah assembly; Miss Irene Larison, district deputy warden and Mrs. Alice Allen of Windsor visited the Rebekah lodge Wednesday afternoon for school of instruction.

Wednesday evening the following members visited the Sedalia Rebekah lodge: Mrs. Fred Speaker, Mrs. Melvin Conrad, Mrs. Hugh Fairfax, Mrs. George West, Mrs. Robert Murray, Mrs. Lester Shults.

D. B. Mayfield shipped to the St. Louis market Monday two car loads of mixed live stock.

Mrs. W. H. Michaelis, of Tipton and Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Gunn accompanied their son and nephew, Jerry Michaelis, to Kansas City Friday. From there he went to Houston, Texas, where he will be inducted into the service.

Mrs. James Wear and mother, Mrs. Tidman, of Iowa Falls, spent several days with Mrs. Wear's mother and father-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Thornton Wear. Saturday they motored to Neosho to visit Mr. Wear, who has employment there.

Mrs. Elma Ferguson and Miss Mary Mitchell of Columbia, were Sunday afternoon guests of Dr. and Mrs. R. L. Fogle.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Bryan and daughter, Madge, of Warsaw, spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Bryan.

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Starke entertained at dinner Sunday, her sister, Mrs. O. R. Hayes and son, Douglas, of Tipton; also her nephew, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Huff and children, of Boonville.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Wear, Mrs. Jesse Wear, daughter and son, Miss Lucille and Clyde were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Golder Lujin of Smithton.

At a meeting of the Bank of Otterville Monday the following officers were elected: President, George Harlan; vice-president, H. R. Starke; cashier, J. H. Gunn; assistant cashier, Charlie Gunn; bookkeeper, Miss Margaret Jenkins. The directors are George Harlan, Roger Starke, J. H. Gunn, T. E. Wherley, T. Edwin Wherley, W. S. Poage, Leo J. Smith.

Miss Winona Wear, of Buncheon, spent the weekend at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gus Wear.

Mrs. Frank Varner and Miss Margaret Jenkins had as guests Sunday afternoon, their brother, Ben Jenkins and Mrs. Jenkins, Mr. and Mrs. Lon Klink of Sedalia, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Jenkins, Jr., Independence; Mrs. William Rhodocher, Parsons, Kas.; Kenneth Jenkins and daughter, Jean, of Kansas City.

• California

By Mrs. J. E. Zey

Mrs. Amanda Kiso, aged 67, wife of Frank Kiso, passed away at St. Mary's hospital in Jefferson City Thursday, Jan. 15. She was born at Freedom, Mo., January 2, 1885, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bracht and on November 11, 1903 was married to Mr. Frank Kiso. Ten children were born to them. Those surviving her besides the husband are as follows: Mrs. Carrie Elliott, Carl Kiso, California; Mrs. Willie Winkler, of near that place; Mrs. Wilbur Linhardt and Oscar Kiso of McGirk, Mo. Other survivors are five brothers and two sisters. She was a member of the Lutheran church. Funeral services were held at the Williams Funeral Home last Sunday at 2:30 o'clock the Rev. W. H. Schwab

officiating. Interment was in the Lutheran cemetery.

Jack Edward Williams, aged 14 months, died at Eldon Saturday night January 17, where he was taken after drinking a quantity of kerosene. He was a son of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Williams. His parents, two sisters and a brother survive. Funeral services were held at the Williams Funeral home at 2 o'clock Monday afternoon with burial in the city cemetery.

Mrs. Joe Putnam underwent an operation for appendicitis at the Boone county hospital in Columbia Monday.

Paul Yost, on a U. S. ship somewhere in Pacific waters, has written relatives here that he is safe and well.

Mrs. Herbert Stanley, who has been a patient the past three weeks in the Missouri Baptist hospital in St. Louis, returned to his home Wednesday.

Carl Tising recently underwent an operation for appendicitis in Jefferson City.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Hill and two months old son of Kansas City came Wednesday to the home of Mrs. Hill's parents, Judge and Mrs. W. G. Heldbreder. Mr. Hill is at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Archie Hill due to illness.

Frederick Augustus Hutchinson, aged 73, died at the home of his sister-in-law, Mrs. Lulu Hutchin-

son, at McGirk Wednesday following a stroke of paralysis. The funeral services were held Friday afternoon at the Lebanon Baptist church the Rev. Stewart McDaniel officiating.

Mrs. H. E. Gattermier went to St. Louis Thursday to visit her children.

Friends here have received announcements of the marriage of Miss Elizabeth Weaver, daughter of G. E. Weaver, of Fresno, Calif., to a young soldier boy in Wichita, Falls, Texas. The Weavers are formerly of California.

Mrs. Henry Haldiman, who has been a patient at the Deaconess hospital, in St. Louis for several weeks, has returned home much improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Dearixon are parents of a daughter born on Sunday, January 18.

One State—Six Flags
"Old Glory" is the sixth flag to wave over the plains of Texas. Flags of France, Spain, Mexico, independent Texas and the Confederacy also flew over Texas.

English Pancakes
In England, one method of eating pancakes is to roll the up like ladyfingers, flavor with a sprinkling of sugar and lemon juice and eat them one by one.

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Seven C. B. C. Students Accept Positions

During the past week seven students of Central Business College of Sedalia secured positions, four in Sedalia and three away.

Miss Louise Larson, daughter of Mrs. Mary Larson of Windsor, Mo., went to the Hallmark Card Co. in Kansas City; Miss Lucille Karrik daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Shelton Karrik of Hous-

tonia, accepted a position with the Chamber of Commerce of Sedalia; Miss Anna Fletcher, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Fletcher of 234 South Kentucky with Swift and Co. Sedalia; Howard Amick of Butler, Mo., with the U. S. Engineering department at St. Louis, Mo.; Miss Mary Ethel McGowan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. McGowan, 1111 West Sixth, with Atlas Powder Co., of St. Charles, Mo.; Miss Sophia Kostelas, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Kostelas, 223 South Monticau with the Missouri merit Council of Sedalia and Miss Louise Renner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Renner of Montgomery City, Mo., with the Tystee Bread Co., Sedalia.

Wheat standing in the field was cut, ground, and made into biscuits within 30 minutes in Kansas.

Revive State Industrial Commission

Ellsworth Green Is Member Of Reestablished Group

The Missouri State Industrial commission, of which Ellsworth Green, Jr., secretary of the Sedalia Chamber of Commerce, is a members was revived Friday by the state defense council as Vice Chairman Hugh Stephens appointed all 12 members of the industrial commission to the "industrial committee" of the defense council, in recognition of "its previous fine work."

The commission, which started defense preparations with a survey of the state productive capacity two years ago under former Gov. Lloyd C. Stark, was believed to have stopped operation when Stark left the gubernatorial office.

Principal Factor
The organization was recognized as one of the principal factors in the initial framework of the defense program in the state, and accomplished advance plans for

the program before it was dissolved.

Other members of the 12-man committee are Thomas N. Dysart, St. Louis, chairman; George Catts, Kansas City; William Anderson of the State Planning board, Jefferson City; C. A. Blair, Jr., Joplin; Carl E. Bolte, Slater; Joseph J. Hauser, St. Louis; Scott Meyer, Hannibal; Mayor Jesse N. Owen, Jefferson City; Louis W. Reps, Springfield; Harry A. Smith, St. Joseph; and Hinkle Statler, Cape Girardeau.

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Birth Is Announced

Rev. and Mrs. August M. Hintz, of Sioux Falls, S. D., are parents of a son, born there on Thursday, January 22, according to announcements received by Pettis county relatives. The father is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Hintz, of La Monte.

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Pteranorons were by far the largest of all known flying vertebrates. These strange creatures lived in the Cretaceous Period and had a wing spread of 25 feet.

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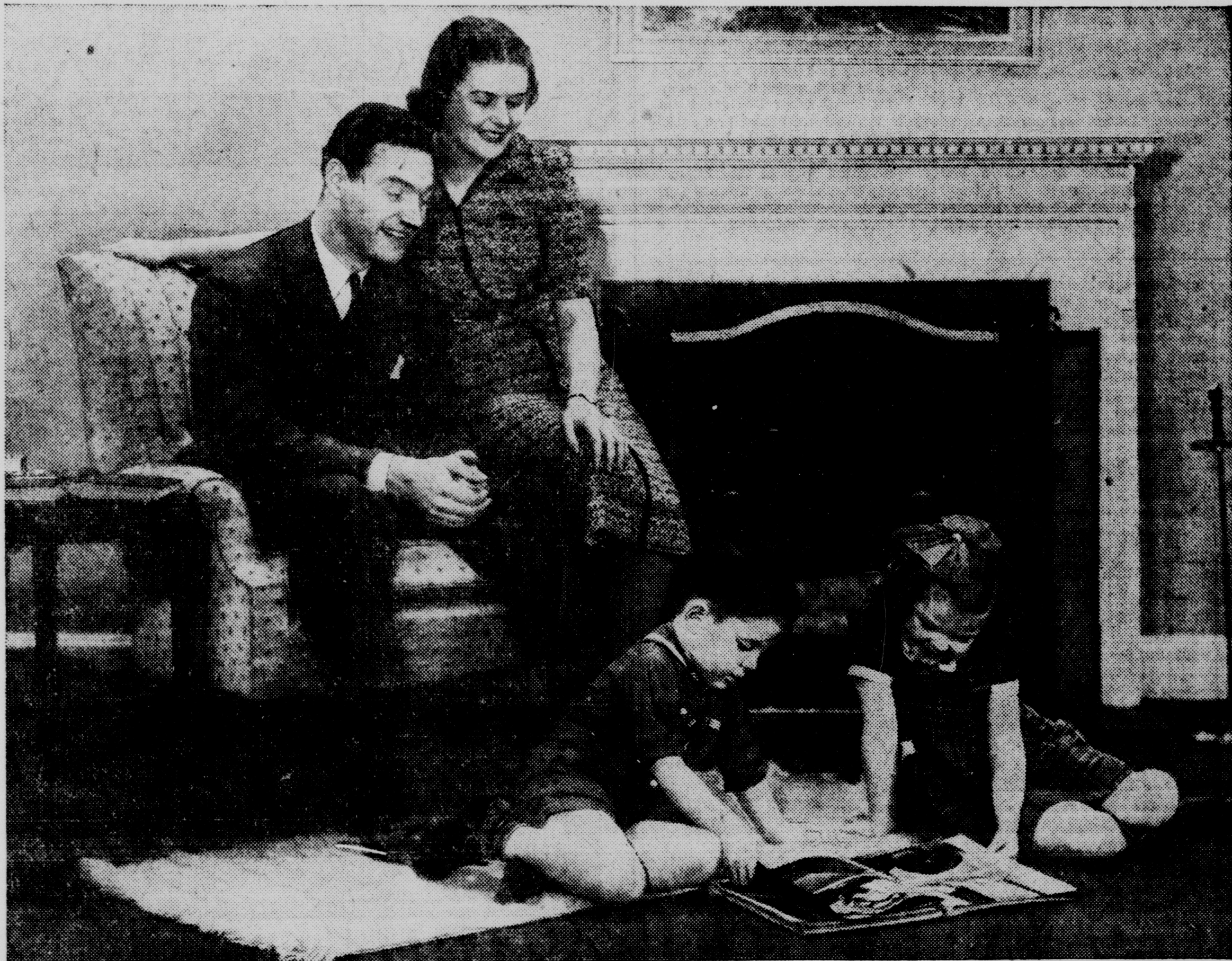


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Serial Story . . .

Tambay Gold

. . . By Samuel Hopkins Adams

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THE STORY: Mom Bunker sets up "Feederia" lunch wagon at run-down Tambay Plantation, forms tourist camp partnership with its aristocratic impoverished owner, Jane Ann Judson, last of the Mauries and squired on the world. Mom tells Juddy she has a daughter, Carnival Juddy, tells Mom of a lonely childhood. Other characters: Loren Oliver, Welliver U. prof digging for Indian relics at Tambay and harboring Old Swaby, a Slovene refugee; Doll, Mom's pet skunk; lawyer Maurice Sears and football star Angel Todd, both in love with Juddy. Sheriff Hollister Mowery thinks Oliver after gold. Juddy is ill after mob lynching at Hanging Tree. Later accuses "Doc" of telling her husband, wealthy Henderson Kent whom she has left, where she is.

THREE-CORNERED FEUD

CHAPTER XV

WHEN we came out I said to Juddy, "Does Angel know you've been married?"

"No."

"Why not?"

"What difference does it make?" she said. "You don't understand about Angel and me."

I sure didn't.

Shortly before Commencement a bunch of Chi Rho Gamma alumni came over for a weekend conference; something to do with a new wing on Rogers Hall. There was a little dinner party at my outdoor oven. An undergrad committee was there, and Maurice Sears as chapter counselor, and Loren Oliver because he was on the faculty Buildings Committee. At the end of the dinner they invited Juddy and me over for coffee and a drink.

Everything was sweet and lovely till a whiskey old gazabo who looked as if he had been left over from the class of 1840 brought up the lynching.

"There was one when I was in college, too," he said. "Tambay Tree was green then."

Doc Oliver tried to shush him, for Juddy had got white and twitchy around the mouth, but the old boob didn't get the point. He burred along:

"They say the Tree bears fruit three times in every ownership." Juddy gave a sort of cry. "Not in mine," she said. "How could anyone—"

I tried to switch the talk, but Angel grabbed it. He put on that cherub grin and said,

"Ask Brother Sears."

Maurice Sears darkened up. "I don't care for your choice of words, Todd," he said.

Juddy said to him: "I think it was horrible of you to be there." "Button it up, pal," I said. "I didn't like the way things were shaping."

Angel did. It was right up his alley. "It's a pity there wasn't a man on the place that night," he said. This time he was staring straight at Doc Oliver.

"What could one man do?" I said.

"I'd like to have been there with a few of the team," Angel said. "Oh, if only you had been!" This from Juddy.

The old party had bristled up. "I'm afraid that Welliver would have had to get a new football team. Have you ever heard of a lynching being stopped in these parts?" He talked like he was defending a cherished institution. Doc jumped in. "Yes, I have. This one was stopped by"—he smiled—"an aged man, two lads, a narrow lane."

"Shakespeare," I said. "Shoot, Doc. I could feel the tension loosening up."

"RIGHT here at Tambay," he went on. "Several years ago. There had been a particularly brutal murder on one of the plantations. There was no plain clew, but an old Negro man had been seen pattering about the place. He had always been a harmless old fellow, but when they caught and threatened him, he was too terrified to explain what he'd been doing there. Word reached a dinner party that the old fellow was being taken to Tambay Tree. There was an old gentleman there for whom the Negro worked. He excused himself from the party. Two other guests followed him, boys of 17 or 18. Their horses were outside. They got to Tambay only just in time. They rode their horses through the mob, took the rope from the praying Negro's neck, and faced around with their pistols in their hands. Nobody stopped them. Weeks later the real murderer was caught."

"Who were the rescue party, Doc?" I said.

"Ask Maurice Sears," he said. Juddy left Angel and went over to Sears. "Who was the old man, Maurice?" she said.

"Great-uncle Rantoul Maurice. He's right much of an old fire-eater and afraid of nothing on earth."

"And you?" She smiled at him. "And the other boy, whoever he was?"

"My cousin, Elliot Maurice. We couldn't let the old gentleman ride alone."

"No; you couldn't. And yet—Oh, I'll never understand you people! But, Maurice, I'll tell you one thing. If that ever happens again at Tambay I'll—I'll hate the

place so that I'll leave and never come back. Never!"

He said very quietly: "Then it must never happen again, Cousin."

I caught Wat Smith before he got away and asked him why Angel had made such a dead set, first for Maurice Sears, then for Loren Oliver.

"There's trouble over that Am. Eth. exam," he said. "Angel's paper bounced right back and smacked him in the jaw."

"But I thought he passed it."

"Passed it? I'll say he passed it! The big showoff! Instead of just easing through which would have been reasonable, he had to go and turn in a 90-plus paper."

"Just what Doc Oliver said, then; it was too good to be true."

Juddy came up in time to hear this, which I hadn't meant her to. "He'd never give Angel a break," she said. "I think it's rotten."

"It isn't Oliver's doing," Wat said. "The Student Council got onto it and put Angel on the carpet. Maurice Sears is alumni representative on the council. He put some questions that got Angel sore, and the big boob walked out on them. So now he's got to take the exam again, next semester. At that, he got off easy."

"You don't understand, Mom," she said.

"Look, Juddy," I said. "I'm only an old hash, but I know class from selling-plate stuff. This bird won't do; not for you. I don't want to see you get hurt, kid."

She came over and took my hand and rubbed her cheek against it.

"O. K., Mom," she said. "Don't worry. I'll pull out of it and it isn't what you think anyway."

COMMENCEMENT came and went, and gosh! how the money rolled in. The overflow started early and we never rightly caught up with it.

Angel landed himself a nice-paying job, being a summer resort mash-athlete—what they call a camp director for the book—a couple of hundred miles to the west. A couple of thousand wouldn't have been too far, in my opinion.

The Big Lad came to the Feederia to say goodbye. He hadn't been able to get any line on developments in the Am. Eth. business, and that made him savage. "You know what I'm going to do if I'm heaved, Mom?" he said.

"Look up a softer graft somewhere else," I said.

"I'm going to take that Oliver punk apart and scatter him so far they'll never collect the pieces."

(To Be Continued)

Stories in Stamps

Brunei Becomes Pawn In Japanese Conquest

THE southward thrust of Japanese armies may bring a new change in the status of Brunei once a powerful sultanate.

The stamp above, issued in 1926, pictures a native scene with huts raised on slender piles of Nibong palm, which resist the decaying action of water for years.

Brunei, in northwestern Borneo, once included northern Borneo, Sarawak, and southern Palawan. Sarawak was ceded to Sir James Brooke after British naval vessels



stamped out piracy in the islands and aided in suppressing a native revolt. Other strips of lands were later ceded to Sarawak and the British North Borneo Company.

The first Sultan of Brunei (city of peace) governed the country before the introduction of Moham-

medanism in the 15th century. The nation flourished and attracted the Spaniards who captured Brunei in 1580 but were soon driven out.

Later the capital, also called Brunei, became a resort for pirates and the slave trade market in the 19th century. In 1888 the country was placed under British protection.

In 1906 England concluded a treaty with the Sultan which gave the civil administration to a British resident.

The Dominican Republic plans to commemorate the founding of the Department of Posts and Telegraphs 75 years ago with a 3-centavo blue and 15c purple.

News from France reports stamp speculation, rather than

collecting, is the rage. Most purchasers hold specimens for a rise in prices and then sell. Postal authorities in France forbid the sending of stamps out of the country.

New Issues: Ecuador has overprinted its 5-sucres emerald in the Golden Gate International Exposition commemorative airmail series. "Official" is overprinted vertically. Surinam's recent issues include surcharged 1936 stamps for Red Cross benefit.

Approximately nine-tenths of America's sugar cane crop is produced in Louisiana.

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Cranium Crackers

Put the kettle on. It's time to boil up a batch of answers about that favorite indoor pastime—cooking. Don't get in a stew over these questions.

1. What familiar baking dish is made of flour, salt, shortening and water?
2. What are the ingredients of fudge candy?
3. Is Welsh rabbit a meat dish?
4. What is the popular cooking mate to (a) ham; (b) corned beef; (c) wieners; (d) meat balls?
5. Of what is chop suey made?

Answers on Classified Page

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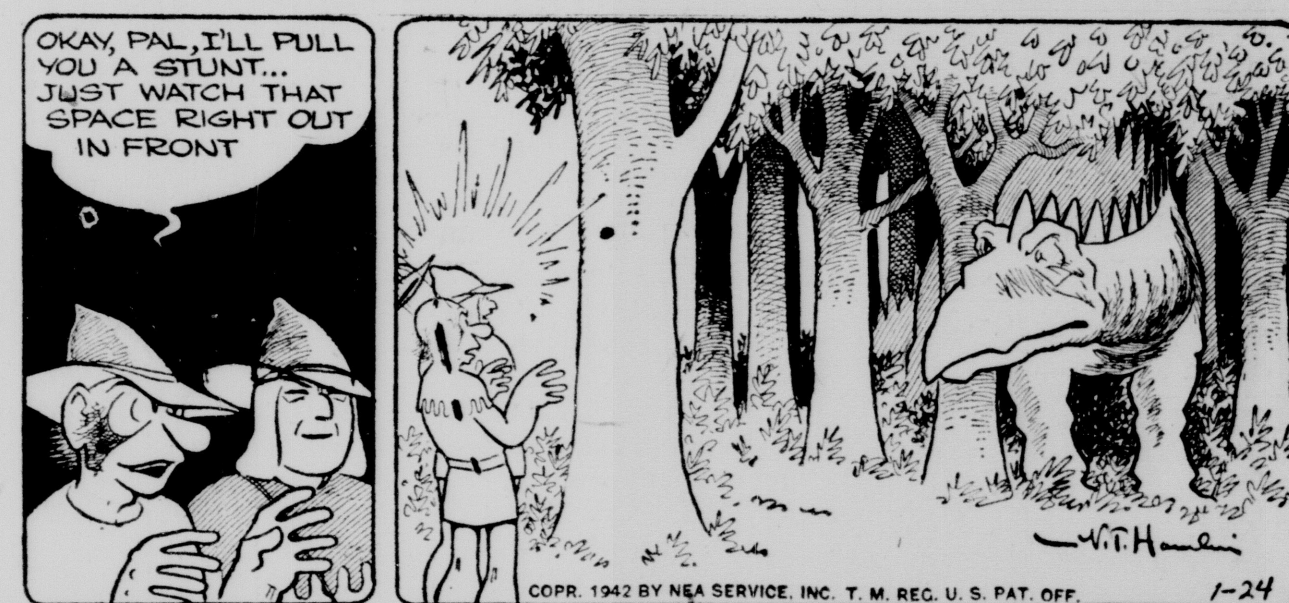
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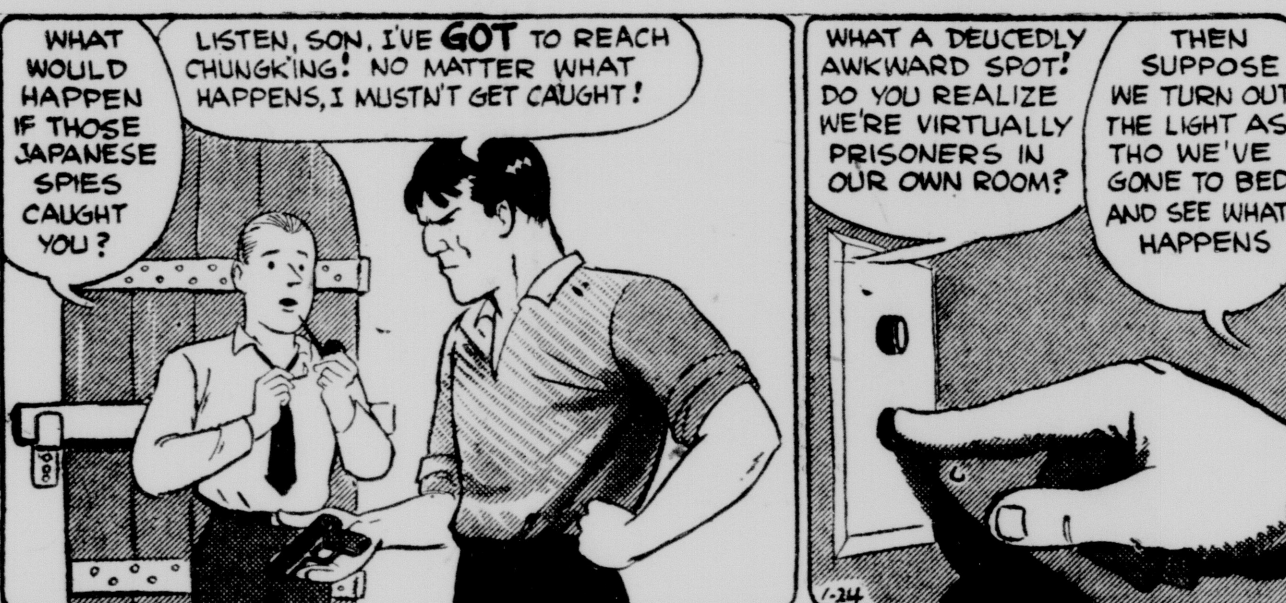


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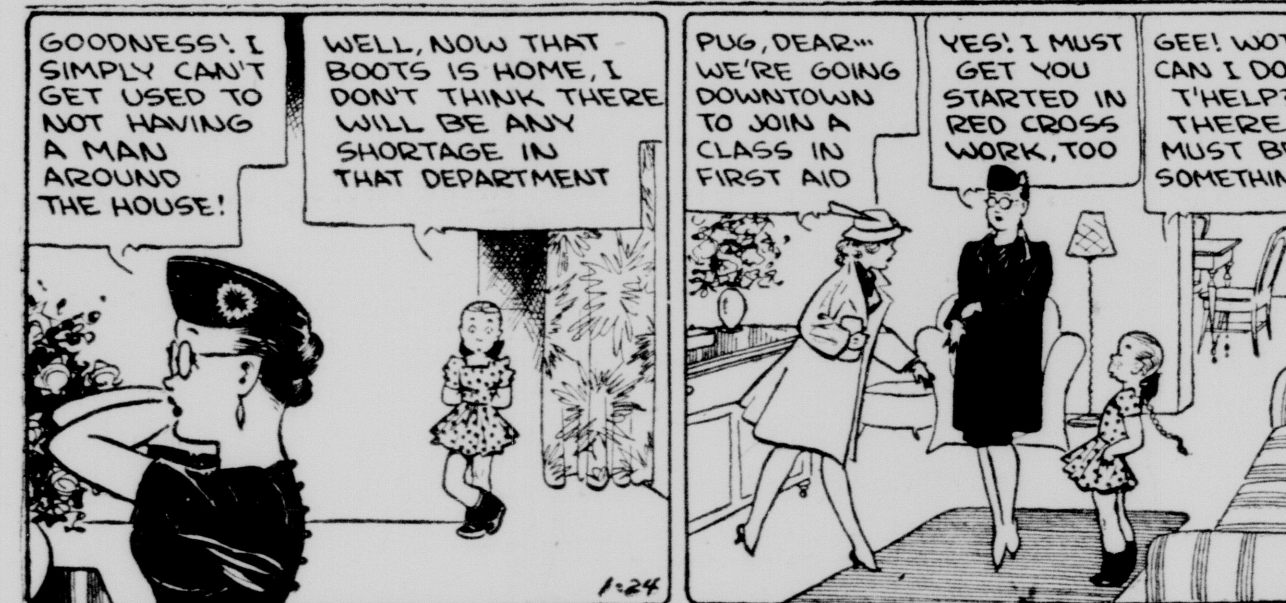


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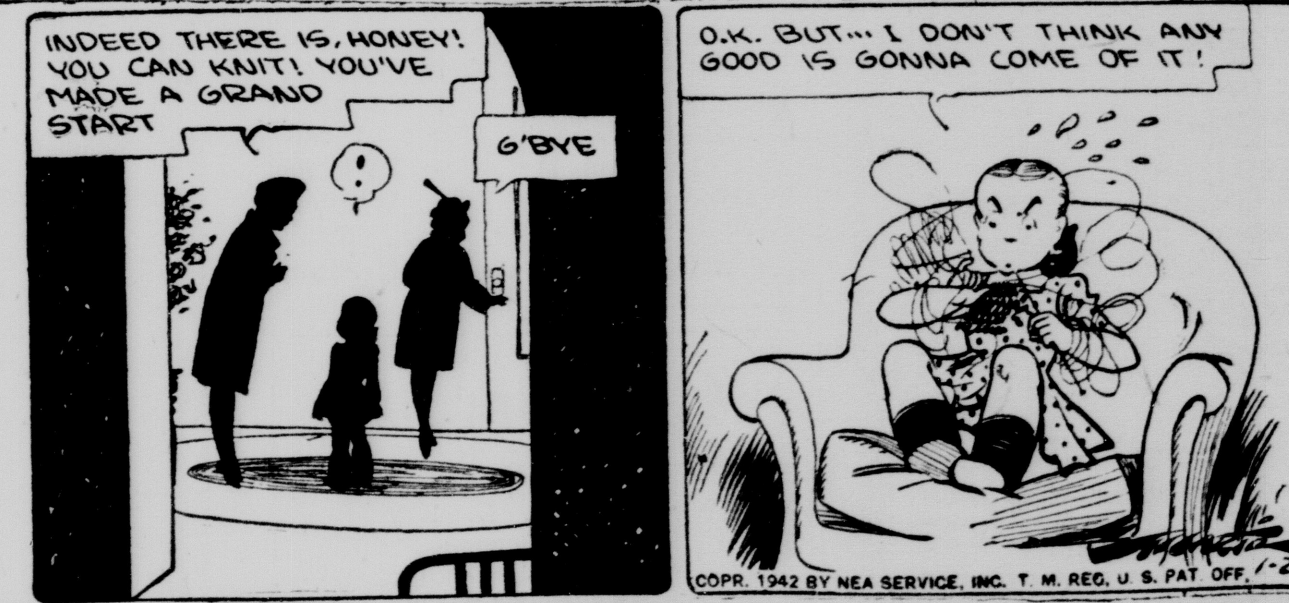


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Not Very Optimistic

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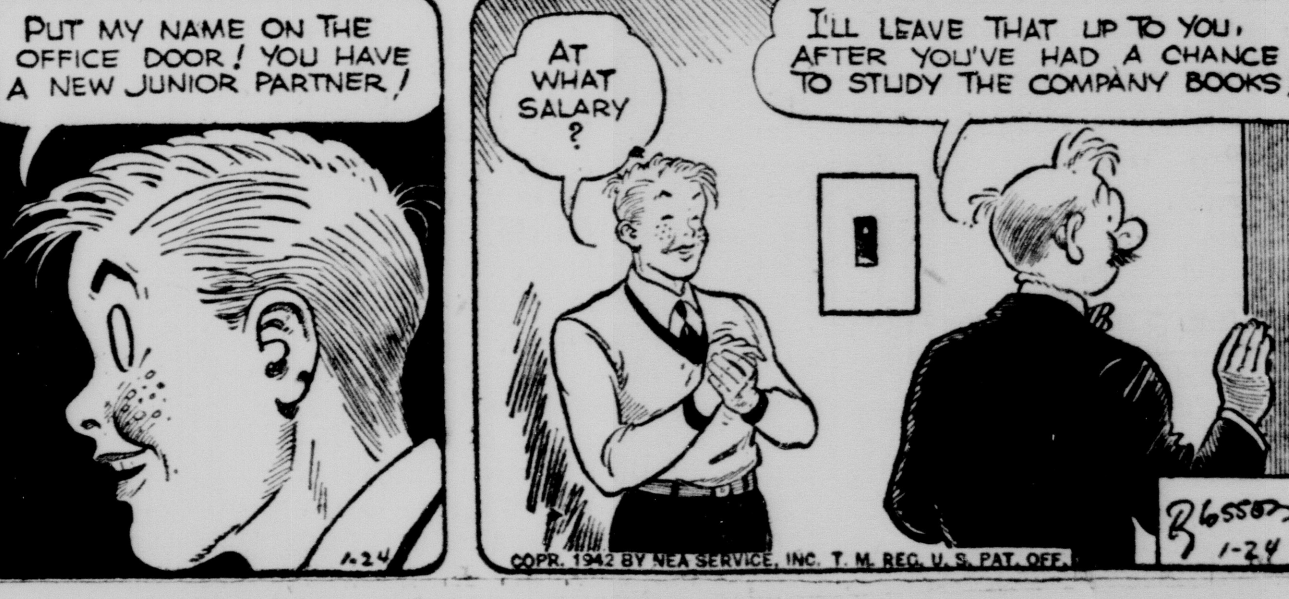


FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS



The New Deal

By MERRILL BLOSSER



Today's Pattern



Tailored Charm

Good lines and simple details recommend this shirtwaist dress to everyone who appreciates the true smartness of tailored styles. The shoulder yokes which permit the easy fullness through the top, the gored piecing of the skirt so that it maintains a smooth line through the hips are the features of this design which make it easy to sew. You'll enjoy the soft rolling collar which may be worn ef-

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• East Indian Island

HORIZONTAL

- 1 Depicted island in the East Indies.
- 7 Additional.
- 9 Mountain nymph.
- 12 Change position.
- 13 Allotment of land.
- 15 Portico.
- 17 Black bird of the cuckoo family.
- 18 Portable chair borne on poles.
- 20 Spinning toy.
- 21 Doctors (abbr.).
- 22 Sells again.
- 24 Strike against violently.
- 26 We.
- 27 International language.
- 28 Tellurium (symbol).
- 30 Music note.
- 31 Reverend (abbr.).
- 32 Entirely.
- 33 Court (abbr.).
- 35 Down (prefix).
- 36 Louisiana (abbr.).

Answer to Previous Puzzle

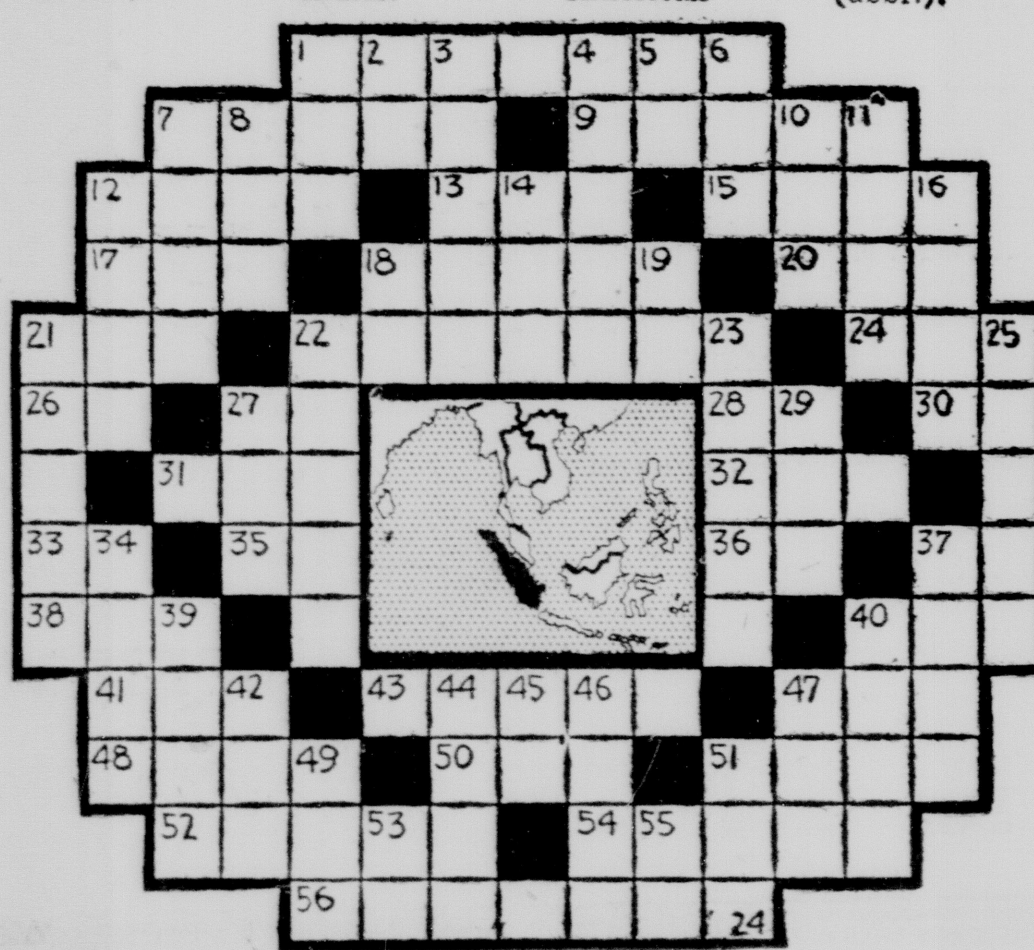
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VERTICAL

- 1 Female saint (abbr.).
- 2 Chaldean city.
- 3 Men.
- 4 Absolute.
- 5 Railroad (abbr.).
- 6 Bronze.
- 7 Ages.
- 8 Sixteen (Roman).
- 10 Attorney (abbr.).
- 11 Portal.
- 12 Planet.
- 14 Lyric poem.
- 16 South American.

three-banded

- 18 Symbol for selenium.
- 19 New Latin (abbr.).
- 21 It belongs to the —.
- 22 Rambler.
- 23 Approach under cover of a screen.
- 25 — is one of its principal cities.
- 27 Color.
- 29 Highest note in Guido's scale.
- 34 Tilt.
- 37 Nude.
- 39 Fissure (anat.).
- 40 Saucy.
- 42 Abyss.
- 44 Hermit's hut.
- 45 Part of "be."
- 46 Destruction.
- 47 Established value.
- 49 Hawaiians food.
- 51 Footlike part (abbr.).
- 53 Lone Scout (abbr.).
- 55 North Dakota (abbr.).



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11-Automobiles for Sale

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18-Business Services Offered

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Continued

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3 ROOM furnished apartment, downstairs. Phone 2253.

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XI Real Estate For Sale

82-Business Property For Sale

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• Answers to
Cranium Crackers

Questions on Comic Page

1. Pie crust is made of flour, salt, shortening and water.

2. Sugar, milk, butter, cream of tartar are fudge staples, with chocolate, vanilla, other flavoring, nuts, etc., added to fit the recipe.

3. No to both. Welsh rarebit is a dish with cheese as a base. Whey is a byproduct obtained in the manufacture of cheese, being the liquid milk left after curd is separated.

4. Ham and eggs, corned beef and cabbage, wieners and sauerkraut, meat balls and spaghetti.

5. Butter or shortening, chopped or stripped pork, veal or beef onions, salt, pepper, celery, bean sprouts and sauce are principal ingredients of chop suey. It is usually served with rice, chow mein with noodles.

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Farm Group Has Election Of Officers
Miss Epley And Elmer Edstrom Wed Sept. 13

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Freund of Sedalia were guests here Sunday of her sister, Mrs. James M. Ryan, Sr. and Mr. Ryan.

Mr. and Mrs. George Ficken, Louis Meisner, Mrs. Al Leslie and daughter, Sue, enjoyed a turkey dinner last Friday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Eaton near Cole Camp.

A large crowd attended the Twelfth Clover and Prosperity meeting of Benton county, held at the court house. The Warsaw chamber of commerce furnished the coffee at the noon hour and made it possible for an old-fashioned basket dinner to be served in the Community building. P. H. Bockelman, chairman, presided over the meeting. These officers were re-elected for the coming year: P. H. Bockelman, chairman; J. L. Schnakenberg, vice chairman; Q. B. Kinder, secretary and treasurer. These directors were

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The map illustrates the Pacific Ocean with various islands and territories marked. Key locations include the Philippines, Guam, Wake, Midway, and the Hawaiian Islands. It also shows the positions of the U.S., British, Japanese, and Free French forces, as well as areas seized by the Japanese.

Miss Nelda Epley and Elmer Edstrom announced their marriage Thursday, Jan. 22, which took place on September 13, 1941, at Linn Creek, Mo., with the Rev. W. H. Woodruff, pastor of the Methodist church officiating. Miss Epley, now Mrs. Edstrom, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Epley of Adrian, Mo., and is a graduate of the Missouri State Teachers college at Warrensburg, and at present is teaching mathematics in the Warsaw high school. She also taught here last year. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Edstrom of Warsaw. He attended the Warsaw high school and at present is employed at Westview Tavern. Their many friends gave them an old-fashioned charvari on Thursday night.

Miss Thelma Scott, who has been employed in the state of California, came Wednesday to spend a two weeks' vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Scott of Fairfield.

Mrs. Eula Plyley was taken to the Ellis-Finchel hospital in Columbia Monday, by Dr. and Mrs. Otto Riemschneider of Cole Camp. They were accompanied by Miss Gladys Iiams. On Monday and Tuesday she was given a blood transfusion and those offering their blood to be typed were: Dr. Reimschneider of Cole Camp, Mrs. Garrett Munday, of

COLE CAMP
R. Schwensen Passes Air Corps Exam
Albert Fickens Move To Recently Purchased Property

Mrs. Henry T. Junge Robert Schwensen son of Mr. and Mrs. Justus M. Schwensen of Wichita, Kas., formerly of Mora neighborhood passed an examination in Texas for aviation cadet. He passed with a high ranking out of a class of two thousand air corps candidates. Robert is a former student of Wichita Municipal University majoring in mathematics, and later on taught the subject in the same institution. He is at present stationed at Pine Bluff, Ark. Mr. and Mrs. Justus Schwensen are the parents of five sons, Robert being the third oldest. Mr. Schwensen is a brother of Mrs. E. H. Harms of this city.

Florence Vonhotten, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Will Vonhotten, underwent an operation at Bothwell hospital Friday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Fickens and daughter moved to the Bahr Senburg property last week. Mr. Fickens recently purchased the property.

A miscellaneous shower was given by Mrs. Leonard Ehlers last Thursday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Weymuth in honor of Mrs. Vern Dean Weymuth.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Meyers and daughter, Junia May, and Mrs. Charles Cozart motored to Neosho, Sunday on business.

Word was received here recently that Leo Imbusch of Hannibal, was called to Jefferson Barracks. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. William Imbusch, and a brother of Mrs. O. E. Hunter.

Miss Vanita May Brockman who has been employed in the O. H. Fajen store has accepted a position at the M. F. A. elevator.

Mrs. Lena Dump left Sunday for Kansas City for an extended visit with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. John Mesley and son, Buddy, of Kansas City spent the weekend with Mrs. Sena Kroenke.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Nottmeier of Kansas City spent the weekend with relatives in Cole Camp and vicinity.

Frank Tubising of Kansas City spent the weekend with his mother, Mrs. Emma Tubising and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Graner, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Intelman Sr., spent Sunday in Gilliam, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Graner and family in honor of Gus Graner's birthday anniversary.

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Luncheon For South Abell Club Meeting
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After a covered dish luncheon the meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. J. E. Fairfax, Mrs. James McFarich led the singing of the Star Spangled Banner, and the remainder of the time was spent in filling out the year books and making plans for the coming year's work.

Three guests were present, Mrs. Joe Bohon, Mrs. Jack Mock and Mrs. Henryetta Schultz.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. A. E. Smith with Mrs. Elmer Dillon assisting hostess.

New Archbishop of Canterbury?

The Archbishop of York, Dr. William Temple, 61, above, is considered a likely successor to the retiring Archbishop of Canterbury, the Most Rev. Cosmo Gordon Lang, 77, as head of the Church of England.

Warrensburg spent the weekend here.

Miss Kate Stuhman of Windsor spent Sunday at the home of Dr. and Mrs. L. A. Taylor and daughter Emilyann.

Mrs. H. P. Meyer visited Sunday in Springfield with her daughter Mrs. Clarence Brockman and Mr. Brockman.

Mr. and Mrs. Julius Boehmer and family of Lincoln visited Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Eckhoff.

Mr. and Mrs. William Meinert motored to Clinton last Friday where they spent the day with their son Victor Meinert and Mrs. Meinert and family. Their grandchildren Marilyn and Billy Meinert accompanied them home for a weeks visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Kepner and son Marvin of Lincoln, visited Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Monsees and sons.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Robertson of Stover have opened a new restaurant here.

Frank Bracht, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Bracht and Mrs. Walter Krieger of Freistadt visited Monday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Meinert.

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